THE WEATHER

Today fair; Wednesday unsettled, with rising temperature.

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FINDS HER SISTER MASS OF FLAMES

Invalid Leaps From Bed to Aid Her—Miss Fannie Crane Will Die of Injuries—Man Overcome

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—One woman was so badly burned that she is dying at the city hospital, another was slightly burned about the hands and face and a man who rushed to their assistance was taken from the burning room by firemen, partially overcome by smoke, during a fire which started in the kitchen of the tenement on the third floor of the house at 96 East Canton street early last evening.

The woman at the hospital is Miss Fannie Crane, aged 65, and single. Her sister, Miss Susan Crane, also single and about the same age, who has been an invalid for a year, was burned when she left her bed to go to the assistance of her companion. Cornelius Shea, who lives on the floor below, was the man overcome by the smoke.

The two women, who have lived in the South End all their lives and who have occupied the apartment on East Canton street for more than 20 years, lived alone. The elder, Miss Fannie Crane, for the past year has cared for her sister.

Nobody in the house could tell last night how the fire started, but it is believed that the dying woman was attempting to light a lamp in the kitchen, when it exploded, setting fire to her clothing and the furniture.

Miss Susan was in her room asleep when she heard the screams of her sister, whose peril seemed to give her a strange strength, for she arose and made her way to the kitchen, being stopped at the door by her sister, who, shrouded in flames, was trying to get out of the room.

With her bare hands the sick woman was trying to beat out the fire when Shea, who heard the screams, dashed into the apartments.

Grabbing a big piece of cloth, Shea pushed Miss Susan aside, and starting at her sister's head, wound the cloth about her, smothering the flames. He then carried her from the room to the hall.

In the meantime, neighbors seeing the smoke pouring through the windows, sounded an alarm from box 37, at the corner of East Dedham and Albany streets. When the firemen arrived they found the burned woman in the hallway, with her sister leaning over her in tears. In the apartment Shea was at work trying to extinguish the fire.

As the firemen entered, Shea dropped, overcome by smoke, and was carried out to the street. Members of the crew of ladder 3, under the direction of Capt. Coulter, carried the burned woman to the street and applied first aid treatment.

The patrol wagon from the East Dedham street station was called and the woman was removed to the city hospital, where the doctors said she could not recover. The building is owned by the Boston Corporation company and the damage was placed by the police at $50.

EIGHT PERISH IN STORM

Pacific Coast Emerging From Grip of Storm That Swept the Entire Region

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—The Pacific coast was emerging today from the grip of a storm that has drenched the entire region from the Canadian to the Mexican line. Latest reports place the storm's death toll at eight. High water has caused much damage to property, particularly in south California, and railroad service in this state and Nevada has been badly crippled. Traffic conditions are expected to improve in the next 24 hours, however.

The rainfall yesterday in the southern part of the state was tremendous. At Pasadena the total for 24 hours amounted to nearly five inches.

The Sacramento river climbed almost to 28 feet, the highest since 1902.

Washouts have disrupted train service in various parts of the state. Through service between San Francisco and Los Angeles has been impossible for 18 hours. Heavy snow falls and washouts have tied up traffic in various parts of Nevada. A Southern Pacific train is stalled between Wabuska and Hazen. Several miles of track were swept away by high water on the Nevada, California and Oregon road and tieups on the Virginia and Truckee line have cut off Virginia City. Rotary snowploughs have cleared the Southern Pacific Ogden line tracks in the high Sierras and snowbound trains were released.

In Oregon and Washington considerable damage has been caused by heavy winds.

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LOWELL BAR ASSOCIATION

The members of the Lowell Bar association held their annual meeting this morning in the local court room, previous to the regular session of court. President William A. Bent presided and James J. Kerwin submitted the annual report of the treasurer.

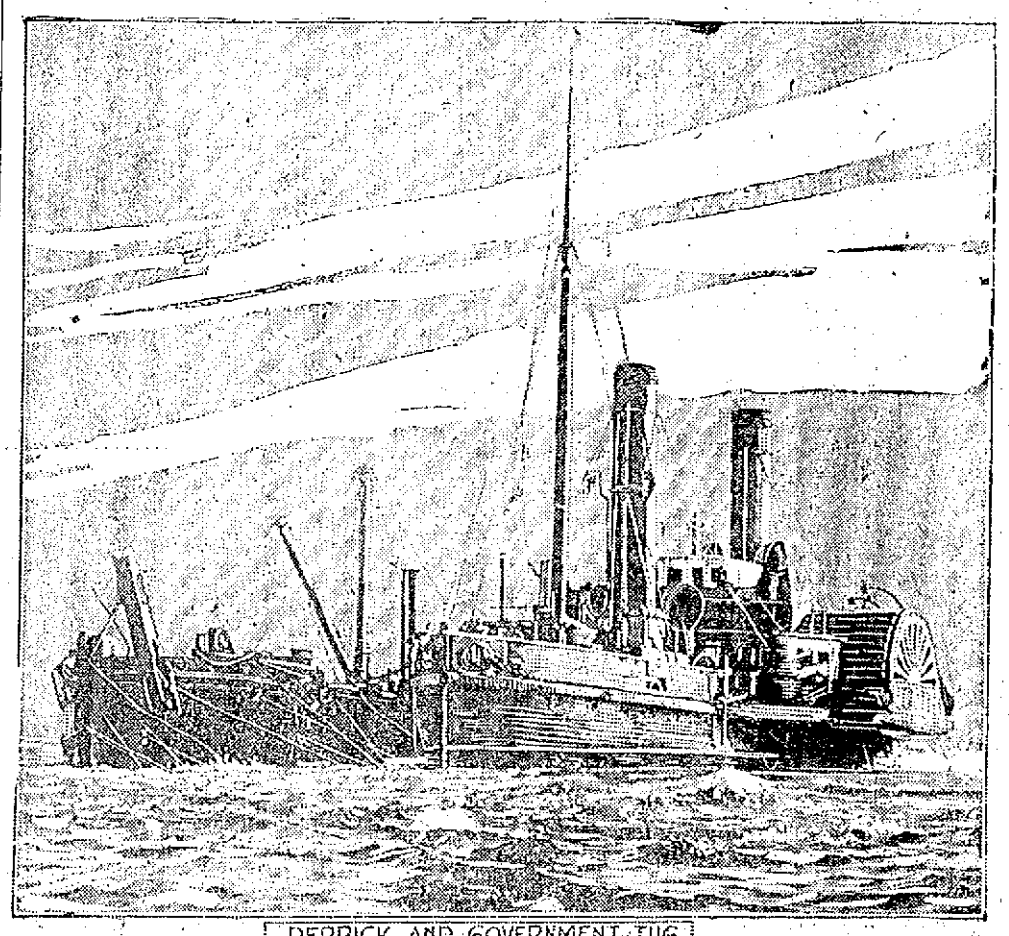
The election of officers resulted as follows: President, William A. Bent; vice presidents, Judge John J. Pickman and John J. Hogan; secretary and treasurer, James J. Kerwin; executive committee, Frank E. Dunbar, Judge Frederic A. Fisher, William H. Wilson, Hon. Dennis J. Murphy and Daniel J. Donahue.

On recommendation of the executive committee it was voted to close all offices at 6 o'clock on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, and between the hours of 1 and 5 o'clock p. m. on Saturdays.

Judge Fisher moved, and it was voted, that an outing be held during the summer months, the same to take the place of the annual banquet, and the arrangements for the same were left with the executive committee.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Wrecking Boats Which Will Lift To Surface British Submarine That Sank With Eleven Men



DERRICK AND GOVERNMENT TUG

LONDON, Jan. 27.—The British submarine A-7 will soon be raised. She carried eleven officers and enlisted men down to death in her fatal plunge during the recent maneuvers near Plymouth. The British navy will abolish the use of this style of submarine. The illustration shows a derrick and a government tug carrying divers at the spot in the English channel where the A-7 has been discovered to be lying in about 100 feet of water.

CLAN GRANT BANQUET

REV. J. M. CRAIG
Who Spoke on the Memory of Burns

ALEXANDER RAY
President Clan Grant

In Celebration of the 155th Anniversary of Robert Burns—Interesting Addresses Delivered

The man who sat down with the sturdy Scotch of Clan Grant 141 O. S. C. who gathered in Grafton hall with their wives, sweethearts, and friends to honor the memory of Robert Burns last evening took a trip to bonnie Scotland in imagination for the songs, speeches, music and even the menu were redolent of "the land of the mountain and the flood." If one doubts the hold that the sweet poet of Ayr has on the Scotch imagination all doubts would be set at rest by the depth of the emotions stirred up in the hearts of those present by every mention of their beloved poet. If the spirit of Burns peeped in from the frosty air without, he realized that he was with his ain folks. All present acted the part described so aptly in the little quotation from Burns on the menu:

"The storm without maist rear an' rustle
We dinna mind the storm a whistle."

In the early part of the evening the members of Clan Grant and their friends gathered in Merrimack hall up stairs and waited until all were assembled. About 8 p. m. they marched two by two to the banquet hall where the tables were spread invitingly with dishes of Scotch flavor. Tables had been set for about 150, but practically 80 more had come, so that many had to wait until the first diners had completed their three rounds. The formal program did not begin until the tables were cleared, but many were the reminiscences exchanged of early days in the highlands and lowlands, by Loch Lomond and Ben Nevis and the banks an' braes o' bonnie Doon. The delightful Scotch accent was heard on all sides, and the plaids of the officers of Clan Grant gave the unmistakable atmosphere of the land of Burns.

When the diners had taken their drappie o' guid coffee to wash a' doon, Chief Alex Ray extended a hearty welcome and spoke eloquently in praise of Burns as follows:

Invited guests, ladies and gentlemen: I extend to you in behalf of Clan Grant a royal welcome to this the 155th anniversary of Robert Burns. From the snow-blocked passes of Alaska to the sunny strands of India—wherever Scotchmen gather at this time of the year they honor the memory of Robert Burns—not only Scotchmen, but all lovers of humanity.

The world has given us great minds and poets; but not since the days of the lowly born carpenter of Nazareth, when He gave us the message of love on the Mount of Olives, has there been one who struck the heart chords of the people as did Robert Burns. Lover of country, of independence and liberty, lover of all man and womankind, his heart was filled with the love of God and good will to all creation. Lover of nature and all things animate or inanimate. Nothing so lowly but that his love could immortalize. The beasts of the fields, the flowers we trample beneath our feet, even the bruised and broken ones inspired him—even the devil himself touched his heart with pity, and he prayed for his redemption.

Oh wad ye tak a thought o' men
I'm wae to think upon yon den
E'en for your sake!

He did not believe in the survival of the fittest. He believed in trying to raise the weak and the fallen and unfortunate.

"A man's a man for a' that."

Humanity the world over walks more erect for what Robert Burns sang and said.

Following the address of Mr. Ray, Mr. Warren T. Reid sang "There Was a Lad," in splendid style. He was roundly applauded and as an encore sang a Jacobite ballad of Prince Charlie.

See Next Edition

FUNERAL NOTICE

MacCALLUM—The funeral of the late Mrs. Louise M. MacCallum will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 146 Aiken avenue. A solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

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CHILD BURNED VERY SERIOUSLY

Was Playing With Coals From Stove at Home in Dutton St., When Clothing Caught Fire

While playing in the kitchen of his home, 9 Dutton street, this forenoon, a three-year-old boy named Edward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welch, was badly burned about the body by hot coals which were pulled from a stove.

According to the story told by neighbors the youngster and several companions were amusing themselves near a large stove and while the mother left the room to do her work the stove was opened and several pieces of coal taken out. In some way the child's clothing caught fire and before the blaze could be extinguished one side of his body was seriously burned.

The ambulance was called and he was rushed to the Lowell hospital, where it was stated he would probably recover.

SUPT. THOMPSON RESIGNS

From the Head of the Saco-Lowell Shops in This City—The Taylor System Involved

Albert W. Thompson, who for the past two years has been superintendent of the local plants of the Saco-Lowell shops, the "Big Shop" and the Kitson Machine Co. has tendered his resignation and his successor, E. E. Blake of Biddeford, Me., is expected to take up his new duties tomorrow morning.

Mr. Thompson is a Lowell man, but previous to his coming as the head of the "Big Shop" he was connected for years with Amoskeag Mfg. Co., of Manchester, N. H. He is a qualified expert in textile machinery and has to his credit a widely used device for humidifying the atmosphere of textile and other factories.

It was under Mr. Thompson's management that the so much talked about Taylor system was installed at the local plant of the company, the installation alone, it is said, cost over $15,000, not counting the running expenses of it, which it is understood are very high. With this system every operation of the machinists is registered, as well as the time spent on each piece of work. The employes of the plant are not much pleased with it and accordingly it has been the topic of much discussion at meetings of the recently organized union among the employes of the shop.

Mr. Thompson to a Sun reporter last night stated the need for increased economy of administration is really pressing under present circumstances, and accordingly he felt it his duty to ask to be relieved as soon as convenient for the company. He said his successor has been appointed in the person of Mr. Blake of Biddeford, Me., who will supervise both the Biddeford and Lowell plants. It is understood that considerable changes are to be made in the plant, and the employes feel confident that the Taylor system will disappear with the former superintendent.

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DROP 200 FEET

Eleven Men Reported Fatally Hurt in Mine Accident

TERRE HAUTE, Jan. 27.—Eleven men are reported fatally hurt today when they dropped 200 feet by the parting of a cage cable at the Sanford Coal mine, four miles west of West Terre Haute.

IN POLICE COURT

James McCarty pleaded not guilty in police court this morning before Judge Fisher to absconding from the state infirmary at Tewksbury and later going back to the institution and soliciting aid. The defendant said that he left the Tewksbury hospital to go to work. He was found guilty and sent to the state farm.

Alexander McPherson and John Devaney pleaded guilty to a similar charge and were both ordered committed to the state farm. Devaney appealed from the sentence.

John Swanson pleaded guilty to drinking too many half steeks last night. He was fined $6. Guerkin Dinkin was present at a wedding feast last night and drank a trifle too freely for proper navigation. He was released upon the payment of $2.

Thomas J. Walsh was in very bad physical condition this morning and Judge Fisher sent him to jail for 20 days.

Thomas Devlin was sent to the Thorndike street institution for ten days.

William Wallace escaped with a $6 fine.

Patrick H. Ray got quite drunk and boisterous last night at the home of his brother and caused quite a commotion. He was sent to jail for ten days.

John H. Smith, who has a wife and child in Lawrence, depending upon him for support, was given a fine of $6.

27 PAROLES GRANTED

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 27.—Under the indeterminate sentence law, passed at the last session of the legislature, 27 paroles were granted it was announced here today.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

MERRIMACK SQUARE

Possibly it was as a tribute to the best loved of all thespians and dramatists that as their farewell offering the Merrimack Square theatre players presented "The Merchant of Venice." Whether or not this touch of sentiment actuated their reproducing the piece, they are playing it and playing it well.

A packed house heard Edouard D'Oize give his conception of the emotions harassing Shylock's mind, and listened to Grace Young delineate all the graces and perfections with which Shakespeare invested his immortal Portia.

Portia, naturally, is the most attractive character in "The Merchant of Venice," and when contrasted with those of Hermione, Imogen or Desdemona she may be said to be the most exquisitely drawn and most lovable of all Shakespeare's feminine characters. And, speaking of the dramatists' portrayal of these characters it is interesting to note the light in which the most profound thinker of all time held women. While he never evinced any leanings toward sex equality—in fact throughout his plays he never fails to disseminate the thought that, so to speak, the male of the species is higher than the female,—nevertheless, in Portia he painted a woman who could outwit one of the slipperiest and craftiest of men, a money lender. Added to this brilliancy of mind, Portia was endowed with bewitching grace and beauty. With these natural gifts, with abundant wealth and, so with many suitors, it is singular that the fair lady should bestow her heart, hand and wealth on such a shiftless, happy-go-lucky gentleman as Bassanio. However, she does, and though more versatile in every way than her husband-to-be she never dreams of omitting the word "obey" in the marriage ceremony. Such was Shakespeare's ideal woman.

Shylock, Portia's opponent in the court scene, is one of the most bloodthirsty wretches ever conceived in a dramatist's brain. His countrymen of this generation can hardly be censured for the protests which they are raising against the accepted portrayal of this character. They declare and reasonably, that Shakespeare painted the money lender in the most odious light with no nobler intention than to stir up the race prejudice of the galleries of his day. For 400 years the old Jewish usurer has typified all that is sordid, malignant and hateful; and even now it is not likely that these unenviable qualities will be softened by a more broad-minded generation.

Antonio has always seemed too gentle and unselfish a character for one ever to meet along the street. He overflows with charity and fortitude and indeed with about every virtue which Christianity has striven to inculcate in erring men and women. He is so good that he verges on being uninteresting—which would prove a cardinal offense were he alive now—yet the tragedy which casts its sombre shadow over his tranquil life serves to throw a cloak over his character which is stamped "Interesting."

As the adage goes, "All the world loves a lover," so, since the creation of the characters of Jessica and Lorenzo, the audiences of succeeding generations have watched their elopement with suppressed breathing and have rejoiced in their ultimate happiness as if the twain loved one another in our own day and were mutual friends of ours. In Lorenzo's wooing of Jessica one cannot help but smile, too, when one realizes that love scenes never change and that lovers, whether of the sixteenth or of the twentieth centuries, are influenced by the same elements as was Lorenzo when he murmured:

"How sweet the moonlight sleeps upon this bank;
"Here we will sit and let the sounds of music
"Creep in our ears: Soft stillness and the night
"Become the touches of sweet harmony."

VALERIE D'OIZE
Appearing This Week in "The Merchant of Venice," the Last Production of the Merrimack Square Theatre Players

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—MERRIMACK SQUARE—

OPERA HOUSE

Neil O'Brien, who for years had been the chief asset with the Lew Dockstader show, was launched last year as a star, and extremely pleasant recollections still linger of the splendid performance he and his associates presented. It was clean, wholesome, lively, entertainment and gave full measure of enjoyment to minstrel lovers everywhere. It will, therefore, be good news to theatregoers to learn that Mr. O'Brien is now on his second annual tour and will appear at the Lowell Opera House next Friday, matinee and night, with a complete new equipment of scenic surprises, new wardrobe, new songs, jokes, special features and almost an entirely new company. This follows out the announced policy as promised by Mr. O'Brien and his manager, Oscar F. Hodge, to present each year an entirely new show from first part to the final curtain. This plan has been faithfully carried out this season. All the elaborate and magnificent settings, comprising a complete and beautiful production, are fresh from the scene frame. The artist has been allowed unusual latitude and has excelled with a "first part" of exquisite beauty. The color scheme is in white and gold, the scene representing a fanciful and artistic idea. There are five other full stage settings, all on a scale of elaborate detail.

The company is mostly new, and selected with that same critical care evidenced by Mr. O'Brien last season. Most interesting among the new engagements for this season is that of the international favorite, Eddie Ross, whose work as a monologist has been received with as much favor abroad as in his native land. Mr. Ross has only recently concluded a six months' season at the principal London music halls where his success was more remarkable than any other American performer who has appeared there in recent years.

KEITH'S THEATRE

Keith's theatre was packed to the doors last night and the audience was very appreciative, if one is to judge by the frequent applause given the talent of this popular house. Of course there was a reason, for the bill was one of the best presented at a local vaudeville theatre for a long time. The bill is of high standard and consists of numbers that are sure to please all patrons of this amusement house.

The headliner on the program is without doubt "Little Billy," who is booked as "vaudeville's cleverest Lilliputian," and there certainly was no mistake in the booking, for "Billy" is about the cleverest little chap who ever appeared before the footlights. His act consists of singing, dancing and recitation and all number are cleverly handled. Although but about two feet and a half in height, the little fellow is an old-timer in the theatrical business, and an old favorite in Lowell, but his act has been sifted to such a degree that it is hardly recognizable. At last night's performance "Little Billy" simply added another feather to his cap.

Next in line come Dugan & Raymond, two elite entertainers, who specialize in humorous sayings and songs. The male member of the pair is exceptionally clever in handling comedy and for a big half-hour he keeps his audience in a happy mood. He is a sure cure for grouch and his female partner renders him great assistance.

Ward & Curran, who count friends in this city by the hundred, are again seen and heard to advantage in their inimitable sketch, "The Terrible Judge." Mr. Ward as the judge has one of the most original make-ups ever seen on a local stage, while his pal is a sort of a lightning change artist. This pair excel in comedy that is comedy and the sketch is very interesting as well as amusing. Curran is the proud possessor of a fine tenor voice and he knows how to handle it, especially in his Irish songs. The act closes with a duet that is very pleasing.

"The Grouch," a one-act comedy, is one of the chief attractions this week. It is being presented by Jere Grady, Frankie Carpenter & Co. This sketch is from the pen of Jimmie Barry and has to do with a grasping, country land agent, who sells lots in the Atlantic ocean. By the simple method of putting on and off a straw hat he manages to convince people that he is two distinct persons, and in this manner he is able to get out of many tight corners. The incidents connected with the playlet are very amusing.

Alice Flood and Josephine Erna give a fine exhibition of juggling and other circus feats and their act is very good. Jimmie Lucas is a conversationalist of high standard and he is also a clever singer, dealing mostly with parodies on the popular songs. He was given several encores at yesterday's performances.

The Pathe Weekly film holds a long list of very interesting and highly instructive pictures.

THE OWL THEATRE

"Unto the Third and Fourth Generation" is the title of the feature picture at the Owl theatre, and last night it was well received. Another feature which was well commented upon is "The Unseen Terror," a Kalem two-reel offering, which tells a very dramatic story. Four other good pictures completed a two-hour program which delighted everyone.

A great special feature which should please theatre-goers will be "The Third Degree." This great drama of Charles Klein will be shown here for the first time, and the announcement has everybody talking. The interest centered on this play during its whole season's run at the Hudson theatre in New York city was sufficient recommendation to transfer its dramatic powers to the films, and the Lubin company showed its progressiveness in getting together one of the best film companies on record, and producing this great drama in five unpadded reels, and announcing a number of well-known dramas to be released in the near future.

The wealth of scenery which can be obtained by photography is a great factor in the success of such plays, and the climaxes cannot be described. They should be seen to note the difference between stage and photography. The description of the inside workings of a metropolitan police department is the well-known plot of this great attraction, and it holds its audience in eager suspense from start to finish. The plot is entirely different from the vaudeville sketch of the same name.

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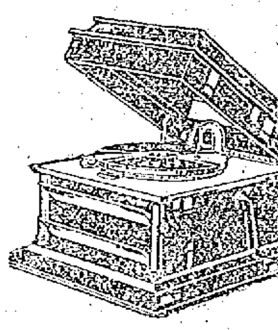

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THE BON MARCHE

Results of the Clerks' Competitive Sale and Prizes Awarded

The five clerks who won prizes on their per cent gain over their own sales of a year ago for the same period were as follows: Ruth Anderson of the ribbon department, first prize, with a gain of 180%. Sarah Bambrick of the kitchen department second prize, with a gain of 157%. Lulu LaVigne of the ribbon department, third prize, with a gain of 107%. Minnie Sullivan of the handkerchief department fourth prize, with a gain of 103.1%. Margaret McCarter of the kitchen department, fifth prize, with a gain of 102.9%. The five clerks who received honorable mention and their per cent gain, were Mary Taylor of the suit department with a gain of 109%; Catherine Fitzpatrick of the knit underwear department with a gain of 68%; Frederick Dubois of the dress goods department with a gain of 64%; Molly Rogers of the handkerchief department with a gain of 59% and Eva Suprenant of the shirtwaist department with a gain of 58%. The departments that won the banquet soon to be given at D. L. Page's and their per cent gain are as follows: Ribbon department, with a gain of 123.28%; book department, with a gain of 57.14%; dress goods department with a gain of 58.69%; notion department with a gain of 53.23% and handkerchief department with a gain of 46.64%. The departments that received honorable mention and their per cent gain are as follows: Toilet goods department with a gain of 45.79%; knit underwear department with a gain of 43.71%; women's suit department with a gain of 24.68%; kitchen furnishing department with a gain of 22.55% and corset department with a gain of 21.99%.

GUNMEN BREAK DOWN

"LEFTY LOUIE," "GYP THE BLOOD," "WHITEY" AND "DAGO FRANK" DISAPPOINTED OVER DELAY

OSSINING, N. Y., Jan. 27.—According to their guards at Sing Sing prison, "Lefty Louie" Rosenberg, "Whitey" Lewis, "Gyp the Blood" and "Dago Frank," the four gunmen convicted with former police Lieutenant Charles Becker of the murder of Herman Rosenthal, have broken down under the strain of waiting for the decision on their appeal which they expect within a few days. Whenever the door of the death house opens they spring up from their cots, expecting that a man has come with the announcement. Disappointed, they throw themselves back and rail at the guards. Becker on the other hand is bearing up well under the ordeal.

LOWELL MAN CHOSEN

At a meeting of the real estate auctioneers from cities and towns throughout the state held in the headquarters of the Massachusetts real estate exchange yesterday afternoon, C. F. Noyes of this city was chosen to serve on a committee to consider the establishment of a real estate auction sale service in the city of Boston. The committee will go over the entire situation and report at a meeting to be held shortly. The other members of the committee are: Lewis J. Buck of Boston, Harry C. Byrne of Roxbury, J. J. Conroy of Boston and ex-Mayor William H. White of Lawrence.

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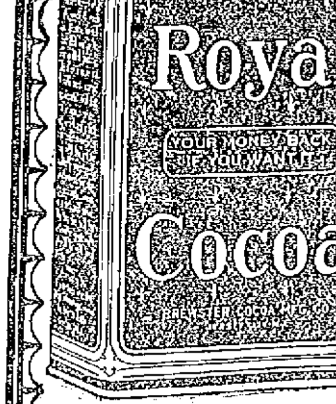

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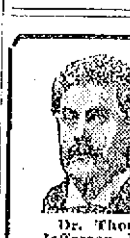

Dr. Thomas Jefferson King

Dr. Thomas Jefferson King, Dentist

Moves to New Location, 158 Merrimack Street.

One year ago Dr. King was obliged to vacate his offices on Merrimack street and at that time the only available offices to be had were on Central street, where Dr. King has been located for the past year, but now the opportunity to secure a new and ideal location at 158 Merrimack street has presented itself. Here at last everything is complete, ideal location, centrally located, light, clean and modern. Dr. King has fitted up these new offices with every known appliance for the practice of Painless Dentistry and takes pride in offering the people of Lowell the finest and most modern dental office in this section.

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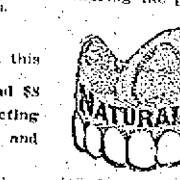

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Every set of teeth that leaves my office has the natural gum, an exclusive invention which absolutely defies the detection of false teeth in the mouth. No extra charge for this during the life of this offer.

WELL, WAS EVERYBODY PLEASED?

Ask the "I Will" Man and everyone that was here at the opening of this Great Unequaled Bargain Offering Sale will answer without hesitation "Yes." You wouldn't doubt it if you saw the mixed expressions and exclamations of delight and surprise on the faces of those who came. They expected big things because this house never overstates, and we promised much, but no one can really realize the wonderful offerings here without seeing the qualities and the styles. If you were not here among them your chance is now. There are lots of good things at big savings still to be had.

SUIT SAVINGS THEY SMILED AT

The tremendous bargain offerings that were presented on the Suits were certainly appreciated by those who knew value, style and quality, and it seemed that everybody was a judge. You do not have to be an expert to know these savings.

$5.63—BUYS A SUITS that's worth.....$8 to $10
$7.63—Broken Sizes, that were.....$10, $12.50, $15
$9.87—SUITS that were.....$12.50—$15
$12.63—SUITS that were.....$15—$18
$14.87—SUITS that were.....$20—$22.50
$16.87—A few very slick SUITS that have been selling for $20—$22.50.
$18.37—SUITS that were.....$25.00
$21.37—SUITS that were.....$28—$30

OVERCOAT BARGAINS THAT DELIGHTED THEM

From the way they went to these Overcoats you'd think that there had not been an Overcoat sold in this town this season. Everybody seemed to want one, and many wanted more than one. The folks in this town surely know exceptional values when they see them.

$7.63—Not an OVERCOAT in this lot but what would be cheap at $12.50.
$9.87—Great Bargains in this lot, mostly broken sizes from much higher priced Overcoats.
$12.63—Buys an OVERCOAT in this lot, and you are sure to get an Overcoat worth from $15 to $20.
$14.87—We set one table aside exclusively for this price, and put on it all broken lots of high-grade goods, varying in price from $15—$22.50.
$18.37—ALL OUR REGULAR $25.00 OVERCOATS.
$21.37—OVERCOATS, regular $28.00 to $30.00.

HOW THEY FANCIED THESE FURNISHINGS

It may have been the Low Prices that made the folks want these so anxiously, but the beautiful styles, qualities and patterns had a lot to do with it. And then, of course, the savings were so obvious. Here are a few of the many:—

15c—Garters.....Value 25c
17c—Cashmere Hose.....Value 25c
3c—Handkerchiefs.....Value 10c
35c—3 for $1.00 All Silk Neckwear.....Value 50c

NEGLIGEE SHIRTS
39c, 3 for $1.00.....Value 50c
69c, 3 for $2.00.....Value $1.00
$1.09, 3 for $3.00.....Value $1.50
$1.69, 3 for $4.50.....Value $2.00

JUVENILES MADE JUBILANT

Mothers and Boys were made happy at the bargains in this Department. The ladies because of the unquestioned economy offered and the boys at the pleasing garments. These leaders will give you only a meagre idea.

SUITS
$1.87—Suits that were $3.50 and $4.
$3.87—Suits that were $5, $6, $7.
$4.87—Suits that were $7, $8, $9.
$6.87—Suits that were $9, $10, $12.50.

OVERCOATS
$2.37—Overcoats that were $3, $4.
$3.87—Overcoats that were $5, $6.
$4.87—Overcoats that were $6, $6.50.
$5.37-$6.87—Overcoats that were $7, $8, $9.

WARM SMILES THESE BROUGHT

They warmed their hearts in expectation of how cheaply they were to warm their bodies. Here are timely savings for RIGHT NOW!

$3.98 Squirrel Lined Gloves, value.....$5.00
36c Jersey Ribbed Underwear, value.....50c
$2.98 Shaker Sweaters, value.....$1.00
69c Fade Proof Shirts.....$1.00

Macartney's "Apparel Shop"

72 MERRIMACK STREET, LOWELL

HAT DEPARTMENT SPECIALS

23c—3 for 50c—GIRLS' AVIATION CAPS.....Values 50c
$1.15—DERBIES in eight different shapes.....Value $2.00
$1.15—SOFT FELT HATS, broken sizes.....Value $2.00

GIRL IS MISSING

State-Wide Search for Eleanor Arlin, Brookline Stenographer

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—The police of Worcester yesterday joined the state-wide search that is being made for Miss Eleanor Arlin, the missing Brookline stenographer. A nervous, distracted young woman, answering closely the description sent broadcast of the Arlin girl, was seen in that city Wednesday by men and women who have since reported their suspicions to the police.

Mrs. Jane Arlin, the girl's mother, returned to her home in Colebrook, N. H., last night, convinced that her daughter is either a suicide or in the hands of white slavers. Neighbors and friends gathered at the Arlin home to hear the latest news of the hunt that has been instituted for the former Colebrook belle.

The only clues since Miss Arlin left her boarding house in Brookline, Jan. 5, were the reports that came from Worcester last night. At least four people have come forward with stories of a woman who acted peculiarly and sought work at various employment agencies.

Fred Souda, manager of a candy store at 123 Main street, said that the strange young woman entered the store Wednesday and again Thursday. Mrs. Mulvey, who conducts an employment agency, describes the same woman and tells how she asked for work as a waitress. The proprietor of a novelty company opposite the candy store tells of several mysterious toll calls which the young woman made.

Uncle Offers Reward

Two uncles of Eleanor Arlin, who live in Colebrook, have offered $100 reward for information leading to her return home. They are Reuben and Henry Gould.

Miss Marion Brown of Newton Center, a chum and the closest friend of the missing stenographer, denied last night that Eleanor was in love with any man. "I would know," she said, "as I was always in her confidence.

"The girl was a complete wreck from sleeplessness, caused by too close application to figures in her work. She was to have gone away for a vacation Jan. 10, and had been given a leave of absence."

According to Miss Arlin's Colebrook relatives, she was 25 years old Saturday. Arrangements had been made for a little celebration in honor of her birthday, in the belief that she would return to her mother's home during her vacation holidays.

PIPES ARE BANISHED

ONLY CIGARS AND CIGARETS ALLOWED IN THE MOST OF BOSTON'S BEST HOTELS

BOSTON, Jan. 27—Cigars and cigarets are welcome, but the pipe of Sir Walter Raleigh, Sir Walter Scott, Arthur D. Hill, Bismarck and many other famous men is now banned in the most of Boston's best hotels.

Yesterday the cinches were tightened a bit on the anti-pipe regulation in a well known down town hostelry, which accentuates the fact that there are now few really first class hotels in the city where one may smoke the pipe of peace and consolation in the lobby.

Friends of the briar, meerschaum, clay and other varieties of the pipe argue that a sweet pipe is much to be preferred to a poor cigaret or cigar. But the various hotel managers, perhaps with an eye to the greater profit in the sale of cigars and cigarets, say that the pipe must go.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETING

Held in Tewksbury Church Last Evening Rev. Carl Stackman of Lawrence Was Heard

The regular meeting of the members of the Lowell Christian Endeavor union was held last night at the Tewksbury Congregational church with a large attendance. The affair consisted of a bountiful supper, musical numbers and a business session.

The meeting was presided over by President Walter A. Chase and various reports were read. A fine address on "Christian Endeavor Week, February 1-8" was delivered by Rev. Carl Stackman, of Lawrence, who also officiated at the installation of officers. The roll call showed that 142 members representing 18 societies were present at the meeting. Considerable business was transacted and the meeting adjourned at a seasonable hour.

WANTS OWN STATUE ACCEPTED

WILKESBARRE, Penn., Jan. 27.—John Jay McDevitt, who parted with $2500 in a single day when he played "millionaire for a day," and tried to blaze up old Broadway, has sold the history of his life, and with the $3000 which it has brought him has bought a statue of himself and will hire a special train and leave here Tuesday, Feb. 3, to ask congress to accept the statue and place it in the Capitol at Washington.

25,000 MEN IDLE

Gov. Johnson of California Denounces I. W. W., "and Agitators"

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 27.—"The line must be drawn between the man ready wanting work and the few leaders who preach the tenets of the Industrial Workers of the World, who neither wish work for themselves nor desire employment for others, and who preach an anarchistic doctrine at variance with organized government," said Gov. Hiram Johnson yesterday on receiving the report of State Labor Commissioner John McLaughlin on the condition of the unemployed in California and the need of extending state aid.

McLaughlin's report showed that there were 25,000 idle men in San Francisco at the time of his investigation, the first week in January, only 3000 or 4000 of whom were in need of assistance. Thousands were living off their savings of last summer and autumn.

The commissioner contends that California always will be the dumping ground for workmen coming from other states to escape the colder climates. He says that any action by the state to support or maintain those out of work would only increase the problem, for thousands would flock to the state to live in idleness.

After receiving the report, Governor Johnson issued a statement, pledging the aid of the state to alleviate distress, but denouncing "professional agitators."

PINKLETS

To Clear the Complexion

One result of constipation is to disfigure the complexion with pimples and blotches. This is because poisons which should have been expelled from the body are retained. Cosmetics and ointments will not avail to clear such a complexion. The poisons which cause the disfiguration must be removed as nature intended.

To do this a laxative that will gently assist nature, but which will cause no reacting constipation to aggravate the trouble, is needed.

Pinklets, the dainty new laxative, quickly clear away all offending matter without the least griping or discomfort. So simple is their composition that they can be taken with any other medicine that is not in itself a laxative. In every household such a simple, safe medicine is needed. Pinklets are tiny, sugar-coated granules, easy to take. Your own druggist can supply you. Sold in 25 cent bottles only.

Pinklets are a corrective for bad breath, will clear the complexion, and are recommended for torpid liver, biliousness, headaches, constipation and whenever a gentle laxative is required. Write to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for Pinklet book. It is free.

CASE OF OFFICER MAHAN

TESTIMONY CLOSED, ARGUMENTS MADE, AND CASE TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT

The hearing of Patrolman Mahan was brought to a close last night at the third session in the special court room at the police building on the complaint charging him with a violation of Rule 19 of the police manual in that he drank intoxicating liquors while on duty, used vile and profane language against one Michael Malowicz, and pushed one Annie Sokolowski so violently that she fell to the floor.

The session held last night was the shortest of the three. The only evidence offered before the special board, comprising Captain Atkinson and Sergeants Duncan and Maguire, was that of Stella Ross, which was taken at the girl's home, 188 Church street, by the stenographer of the police department in the presence of Sergeants Duncan and Maguire.

In substance the statement ran as follows: On the Sunday night in question Officer Mahan came to the house in East Merrimack street, where the trouble occurred, in uniform and went into a side room. He stayed but a few minutes. Later he returned in plain clothes and drank two glasses of beer. She told the patrolman how she was being abused by her father and stepmother and asked to be taken from the house. Officer Mahan started to accompany her from the house when the Sokolowski woman stepped in front of him. He then gave the woman a shove and she fell against a table. At this point in the proceedings Officer Maloney appeared on the scene and ordered his brother officer to leave the premises.

The girl said that there was no dancing in the house when the officer first arrived and that there was no trouble until he had come. Witness said she knew the officer and had seen him at other Polish festivities. She further stated that she heard him swear at Mrs. Sokolowski and also at Malowicz. She saw no bottles thrown but did see a beer glass or two go flying through the air. The girl drank but two glasses of lager beer.

Directly as the evidence was completed Lawyer William A. Hogan entered into a lengthy plea for the defendant. He went into both sides of the case in detail and touched upon all of the evidence. The attorney endeavored to show contradictions in the testimony of the prosecution's witnesses and asked that the defendant be found not guilty of the charges brought against him.

Superintendent Welsh stated, before he summed up the government's side of the case, that it was not his wish to prosecute Officer Mahan or any other member of the department but as head of the police department it devolved upon him to take charge of the prosecution. The people of Lowell, he said, looked to the police officers as their guardians and as men who can be relied upon to do the proper thing under the most trying circumstances and environments. It was his desire, as well as his duty, said the supt., to see that every patrolman as well as superior officer, lived up to the rules laid down in the police manual. In conclusion he asked the board to consider the evidence placed before them without haste and with due regard to every detail of the testimony, and to render a decision which would help in establishing and maintaining order and discipline in the department.

The board took the case under advisement and will make a report of its finding to Mayor Murphy at an early date.

A CARD

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50 cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25c bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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Brunelle's Pharmacy
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Carter & Sherburne
Albert E. Moors
Boathier & Delisle
N. Pelkes

REV. MR. BISHOP RESIGNS

To Accept a Pastorate in Caribou, Me. His Departure is Much Regretted by Parishioners

Rev. H. H. Bishop, who for a number of years had served as pastor of the Baptist church in North Tewksbury has accepted the pastorate of the Baptist church in Caribou, Me. and his resignation from the pulpit of the Tewksbury church was accepted Sunday, but with much regret, for the reverend gentleman was held in high esteem and loved by all members of his flock.

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

3700 CHARITABLE SOCIETIES

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—According to the New York charities directory for 1914 just issued there are 3700 charitable and religious organizations in this city, one-half of them churches.

The oldest organization listed in the book is the society of the New York hospital, founded in 1771.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Red Letter Day

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 28th

10 FREE Stamps

This is the first Red Letter Day in the new year and a splendid opportunity to call at the Premium Parlor, inspect the attractive new stock of Premiums and add 10 S&H Stamps to your collection. Come and bring your friends.

Bring in your Hamilton Coupons, American Tobacco Co.'s Tags and Coupons as well as the various Soap Wrappers, Trade Marks, Labels, etc., which are listed in your stamp book. They are exchangeable for S&H Green Stamps and are a big help in filling your stamp books and obtaining your Premiums quickly.

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We are still selling all the best grades of coal at the lowest market prices. Leave your order with us and receive one stamp with every ten cents worth of coal you burn. Orders also taken for wood. Leave your orders by mail, telephone or in person. Stamps given on all C. O. D. orders.

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From Yesterday's Late Editions

FOR REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING STOCK MARKET SEE LATER EDITIONS

DISCHARGED FOREMAN WILL FIGHT REMOVAL

William C. Gardner, a former foreman in the street department of this city, who, some time ago was discharged by Commissioner Charles J. Morse, and who was given a hearing by Mr. Morse under the rules of the civil service, has filed a petition with the justice of the police court for a review of the said hearing, and the court may listen to the evidence a week from Wednesday.

According to chapter 624 of the acts of 1911, no appeal can be made to the civil service commission in the case of the discharge of an employe who is protected by the civil service, but this matter has been turned over to the police court justice of each city, and this is the first case of its kind which will be heard in Lowell.

The petition as filed with the justice of the police court by Mr. Gardner's attorney, Thomas G. Robbins is as follows:

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, SS. Lowell Police Court.

To the Honorable the Justice of the Lowell Police Court.

Respectfully represents your petitioner, William C. Gardner, who says that he is a citizen of Lowell in said county of Middlesex, and has served as a permanent foreman under the classified civil service as applied to said city of Lowell in the street department of said city of Lowell for a period of about 17 years up to and including Monday, Jan. 5, 1914.

That on Monday, Jan. 5, 1914, he was temporarily suspended and served with a written notice as provided by chapter 314 of the acts of 1904 as amended by chapter 243 of the acts of 1905, of proposed indefinite suspension by Chas. J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways, a copy of which notice is hereto annexed marked "A" and made a part of this petition.

That your petitioner on Jan. 5, 1914, requested in writing that he be given a public hearing and answered in writing the charges contained in above mentioned written notice as is provided by chapter 314 of the acts of 1904 as amended by chapter 243 of the acts of 1905, a copy of which answer is hereto annexed and made a part of this petition and is marked "B."

That a public hearing was given your petitioner on Thursday, January 15, 1914 at the office of the commissioner of streets and highways in said city of Lowell, and thereafter your petitioner was indefinitely suspended from employment as a foreman in said department of streets and highways in said city of Lowell by Charles J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways.

Wherefore your petitioner prays this honorable court that the action of Charles J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways in said city of Lowell in indefinitely suspending your said petitioner from employment as a foreman in said department may be reviewed by this honorable court and witnesses heard as is provided by chapter 624 of the acts of 1911.

William C. Gardner.
By his attorney.

THE ORDER OF REMOVAL

The finding of Commissioner Morse referred to as "A" in the foregoing is as follows:

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 5, 1914.

Mr. William C. Gardner, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir: You are hereby notified that I propose to indefinitely suspend you from further employment as a foreman in the street department of the city of Lowell for the reasons that said position now filled by you is not necessary for the efficient conduct of the affairs of said department, that the duties you have been performing can be transferred to other employes of the department and that the economical administration of said department will be best carried out by said suspension.

You are hereby notified further that you are entitled to a public hearing if you so desire in accordance with the provisions of chapter 314 of the acts of 1904, as amended by chapter 243 of the acts of 1905; and that unless you request a hearing before Friday, Jan. 9, 1914, I shall take the action I have above indicated.

You are notified further that pending said proposed action you are hereby temporarily suspended from further service in said street department.

Charles J. Morse,
Commissioner of Streets and Highways.

Gardner's Answer to Charges

The reply of Gardner referred to as "B," is as follows:

Charles J. Morse, Commissioner of Streets and Highways vs. William C. Gardner. Answer to charges preferred against William C. Gardner.

And now comes the above named William C. Gardner and for answer to the charges preferred against him by Charles J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways of the city of Lowell, as contained in a written document dated at Lowell, Jan. 5, 1914 and signed by Charles J. Morse, says that he is a citizen of Lowell and has held the position of permanent foreman under the classified civil service in the street department of the city of Lowell for a period of seventeen years.

That at the time of his temporary suspension on January 5, 1914, he was fifth on the list of permanent foremen eligible to serve as such under the classified civil service in the street department of said city of Lowell.

That at the present time there are more than five permanent foremen serving in the street department of said city of Lowell.

That the reasons for suspension of William C. Gardner as alleged in the above mentioned document do not include any charges of incompetency, inefficiency or insubordination on the part of William C. Gardner.

That so long as five permanent foremen are employed in the street department of said city of Lowell the said William C. Gardner is entitled to serve as one of them, he not being charged with incompetency, inefficiency or insubordination, or any charges of like nature.

That at the present time the employes who were under the said William C. Gardner are at work at the same place under the supervision of another permanent foreman.

That the said suspension of William C. Gardner is not wholly for the reasons set forth in the above mentioned written document, but is for political reasons.

THE FRISCO ROAD

Financial Operation the Cause of Receivers, Says Interstate Board

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Financial operations—not ordinary railroad difficulties—were the cause of the receivers for the St. Louis & San Francisco system, according to the interstate commerce commission's investigation reported today at the direction of the senate.

Although the report says the senate resolution, does not call for expression of opinion or recommendations, it does declare, referring to the sale just before the receivership of $3,000,000 of five per cent. bonds, French series, at 78 to Speyer & Co. of New York, "that the sale of securities to the investing public through bankers at a time when every appearance indicated the insolvency of the issuing company, invites and warrants the condemnation of all who assisted or participated in each sale.

"Speyer & Co. should have been aware of the poverty of the 'Frisco and of its difficulties in obtaining funds."

The insolvency of the 'Frisco, the report says, may be attributed to various causes, among them:

Disproportionate capitalization.

The acquisition of new lines.

The financing by the 'Frisco of the New Orleans, Texas & Mexico railroad and other south Texas lines.

The desire for an entrance into Chicago, resulting in the assumption of heavy fixed charges in the acquisition of the stock of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad.

The sale of its securities at prices so low as to indicate a deplorably weakened credit and an extravagant arrangement with bankers to whom large profits accrued in the purchase of the bonds and the subsequent sale of same to the public.

Miscellaneous causes, among which are the payment of dividends upon its preferred stock in spite of its weakened credit and need of money.

THE ASSYRIAN BISHOP

Rt. Rev. Bishop Raphael Hawaweeny of the Assyrian church of Brooklyn, N. Y., will come to Lowell tomorrow to act as sponsor for the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Ansara of 95-160 Suffolk street, who will be christened tomorrow evening. The distinguished clergyman will be accompanied by two Assyrian priests, among whom will be Rev. M. Husson of Worcester, an uncle of George Husson, the well known real estate man of this city.

Bishop Hawaweeny is a well learned man and a clergyman who is highly respected all over the country. He speaks seven different languages and has been located in the state of New York for the past 17 years. His first visit to this city was in 1907, when he officiated at the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Ansara. A few years later he again returned and officiated at the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. George Husson.

During his short stay in Lowell this week he will visit the pastor of the Greek Orthodox church as well as the beautiful church in Jefferson street, and he will also pay a visit to the people of his church who reside in Lowell. The Assyrian people of this city will tender their bishop a cordial welcome and it is possible that they will honor him with a reception, providing he does not leave Lowell tomorrow evening.

LOCAL NEWS

There is a fine picture of St. Jean Baptiste church at the police station and the owner can take possession of it by applying at the station and proving ownership. The picture, which is framed, was not stolen, but was found in Westford street a few weeks ago by Patrolman Ealy. It was immediately sent to the station, but not a word has been heard as to who is the owner. It is believed the frame fell to the ground from a moving team and although the loss has been discovered, the owners probably do not know where they can recover it.

An evening of fun that will rival the recent circus will arrive Wednesday when the girls of the play class of the Y. W. C. A. will give two new humorous plays, "Obadiah's Visit" and "Mrs. Oakley's Telephone." The cast for the first will include Anna McKay, Elvira Braden, Amy Peabody, Florence Chamberlain, Flora Walker, Dorothy Moody, Susie Caldwell, Eva French, Doris Wilson, Lois Braden, Muriel Leach, Susanne Long and "Obadiah." The cast of the second play is made up of Lillian M. Smith, Florence Grant, Edith Fletcher and Florence Chamberlain.

FAVOR STANDARD OIL CO.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Charges that the proposed increased freight rates on petroleum, which the eastern railroads are asking the inter-state commerce commission to authorize, would discriminate heavily against independent refineries in favor of the Standard Oil Co. were made today at a hearing of shippers by F. W. Boltz, traffic manager of the National Petroleum association, an organization of 40 odd oil companies.

Boltz testified that the railroads had made no attempt to put through a horizontal increase of five per cent. —the degree of advance for which they are applying—but that the tariff they were asking the commission to approve contained increases varying between 2 to 19 per cent. He presented a mass of figures and tables which he declared would show that wherever competition was involved between the Standard and the independents the Standard had been favored.

DEATHS

SMITH—Elmira, wife of Edward Smith, aged 45 years, died today in Worcester. The body was removed to this city by Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck. Funeral notice later.

CAMPBELL—John E. Campbell, aged 22 year, 7 months and 25 days, died today at his home, 55 Stratham street. He was the son of Alexander and Jewett Campbell. Funeral notice later.

Stock Market Closing Prices, Jan. 26th

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	75⅞	74½	75
Am Beet Sugar	27¼	27⅛	27⅛
Am Can	34⅝	33¾	34½
Am Can pfd	95½	95¼	95¼
Am Car & Fn	50¼	49½	50
Am Hide & L pf	25¼	21½	25¼
Am Locomo	36	35¾	36
Am Smelt & R	70¼	68	69½
Am Smelt & R pf	101½	101½	101½
Am Sugar Rfn	105⅞	105¾	105¾
Anaconda	36½	36	36½
Atchison	100	99¾	100
Atch pf	100	99¾	100
Balt & Ohio	98½	96⅞	98⅜
Bk Rap Tran	92	91¼	91¾
Canadian Pa	211¼	210½	210¾
Cent Leather	28½	27¾	28¼
Cent Leather pf	97	96¾	97
Ches & Ohio	67½	67	67½
Chi & Gt W	14¾	14⅜	14½
C C C & St L	40	40	40
Col Fuel	34	33	31
Consol Gas	138¾	137½	137½
Del & Hud	159	158½	159
Dis Secur Co	18	18	18
Erie	32⅞	31⅝	31⅝
Erie 1st pf	49½	49¼	49½
Erie 2d pf	40	39	40
Gen Elec	148⅛	147¼	147½
Gt North pf	129¼	128¾	129
Gt N Ore ctf	38⅞	38	38⅛
Illinois Cen	115	114	115
Int Met Com	16⅞	16	16
Int Met pf	62⅝	61⅞	61⅞
In S Pump Co	9½	9¼	9¼
Kan City So	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞
Kan City So pf	62	62	62
Kan & Tex	24	23½	23½
Kan & T pf	59	59	59
Lehigh Valley	155½	154⅝	155
Mexican Cent	14	13	13½
Missouri Pa	29⅞	29	29¾
Nat Lead	52	51	52
N Y Air Brake	68	68	68
N Y Central	95⅞	94¾	95⅛
Nor & West	104⅞	104⅜	104⅝
No Am Co	72⅞	72⅛	72⅜
North Pacific	116¼	115¼	115¾
Pennsylvania	115¼	114¼	114¾
Pressed Steel	35⅞	34¾	35½
Ry St Sp Co	31½	30	31½
Reading	169⅞	168⅞	168¾
Rep Iron & S	26½	24½	26¼
Rep I & S pf	89⅞	88¾	89⅞
Rock Is	16¼	15½	15¾
Rock Is pf	24⅞	23¾	23¾
St L & So'wn	26¾	26	26¼
St L & S'n pf	67⅛	65⅛	65⅛
St Paul	106¾	105½	105¾
So Pacific	98¾	97½	98½
Southern Ry	27⅛	26⅞	26⅞
Southern Ry pf	84½	83¾	83⅞
Tenn Copper	35⅛	34½	34⅞
Third Ave	43½	43	43½
Union Pac	162	160⅞	161½
Union Pac pf	84⅞	84¾	84⅞
U S Rub	62⅞	61	62
U S Rub pf	103	102¾	103
U S Steel	66	64⅞	66½
U S Steel pf	112¼	111¾	112
U S Steel 5s	102	101⅝	101⅝
Utah Copper	54¾	53¾	54¾
Wabash R R	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Wab R R pf	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛
Westinghouse	71⅞	71	71
Western Un	64	63⅝	64
Wh & L Erie	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Jan. 26.—Local copper shares opened dull and generally weak today but by noon the market had recovered. Boston & Maine was also lower at 49.

UNCERTAIN MOVEMENT

AT OPENING—LATER LIST STIFFENED—AND ADVANCE WAS RESUMED

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Stocks moved uncertainly in the early trading today. Business was on a much smaller scale than during last week's rise. Speculators took the short side at the opening, believing the reaction which set in on Saturday had not run its course, but this accomplished little. While first prices showed a majority of declines, the movement was inconsequential except in the case of Baltimore & Ohio, which lost nearly a point. Later the list stiffened.

The advance in stocks was resumed today after a slight reaction in the early trading. The strong showing of a few stocks, together with the inability of professional traders to force down the market, caused the list to rally from the early, although during the morning the average remained below the highest of last week. Specialties which reflected favorable trade conditions fluctuated vigorously and the industrial list as a whole was helped by favorable forecasts of United States Steel's quarterly report. Wire houses were well represented in the trading, which expanded, after which the market overcame its initial downward tendency.

There was no parallel in today's market to the spirited buying of stocks and bonds last week and in the afternoon trading was quiet. Foreign buying was a potential influence in offsetting the effect of professional selling. London purchased some 20,000 shares here. Metal issues were absorbed steadily. Steel was raised one point and smelting two.

The market closed easy. Buoyancy of steel which extended its gain to two points intimidated the shorts into buying all around the room and prices rose still further. Some of the earlier weak features, including Baltimore & Ohio, were bid up rapidly. Just at the end prices ran off sharply under the weight of heavy profit taking sales.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Mercantile paper 4a4 3-4 per cent. Sterling exchange firm; 60 days 483.35; demand 486.25; commercial bills 483. Bar silver 57 5-8. Mexican dollars 45. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds firm.

Call money steady 1 3-4a2 per cent.; ruling rate 1 3-4; last loan 2, closing 1 2-4a2.

Time loans weaker; 60 days 2 3-4a3; 90 days 3 1-4a1-2; six months 4.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
RAILROADS			
Boston & Albany	191	191	191
Boston Elevated	88½	83¼	84
Bos & Maine	51	49¼	51
Fitchburg pf	90	90	90
N Y & N H	76½	75	76
MINING			
Allouez	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
Arcadian	3⅛	3	3⅛
Arizona Com	5⅝	5	5⅛
Cal & Arizona	68	67½	67½
Cal & Hecla	433	432	433
Centennial	17	17	17
Chino	41⅝	41⅛	41⅝
Copper Range	39⅞	39½	39½
E Butte	13	12½	12⅞
Franklin	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Granby	84½	84	84
Greene-Cananea	38¾	38½	38½
Hancock	20	20	20
Indiana	6	5¾	6
Kerr Lake	5	5	5
Mayflower	8	7⅞	7⅞
Mohawk	45⅝	45½	45¾
Nevada	16½	16½	16½
Nipissing	8	7½	7⅝
North Butte	29¾	23⅞	29⅛
No Lake	2¾	2¾	2¾
Old Colony	4⅞	4½	4¾
Old Dominion	52½	52½	52½
Osceola	81	79½	79½
Quincy	65	65	65
Ray Con	19⅛	18⅞	19⅛
Santa Fe	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Shannon	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞
Superior	23	22	22
Superior & Boston	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
Tamarack	31½	31½	31½
Utah Cons	10¼	10	10¼
Winona	3½	3¾	3½
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	124	123½	123⅞
New Eng Tel	140	140	140
MISCELLANEOUS			
Am Pneu pf	19½	19½	19½
Mass Elec	13½	13½	13½
Mass Elec pf	66½	66	66
Mass Gas	93	92¾	92¾
Mass Gas pf	92½	92½	92½
United Fruit	168	167	168
United Sh M	56	55½	55¾
UNLISTED SECURITIES			
Alaska Gold	23⅞	23⅛	23⅛
Am Ag Chem Com	56½	56	56½
Am Ag Chem pf	96¾	96½	96½
Am Woolen pf	82¼	82¼	82¼
American Zinc	20⅛	20	20⅛
Butte & Superior	31½	31⅛	31⅛
Isle Royale	22	21½	22
Lake Copper	10	9¾	10
Miami Cop	23¾	23⅝	23¾
Pond Creek	20¼	20¼	20¼
Swift & Co	106¾	106¾	106¾
U S Smelting	42¾	42½	42½
U S Smelting pf	48¾	48½	48½
Utah-Apex	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
BONDS			
Am Tel & T 4s	88⅞	88½	88¾
do con 4½s	99	99	99

COTTON FUTURES

	Opening	Close
January	12.40	12.38
March	12.58	12.58
May	12.38	12.36
July	12.32	12.33
October	11.63	11.63

COTTON SPOT

Cotton spot closed quiet. Middling Uplands 12.90. Middling Gulf 13.15. Sales 500 bales.

DENIES "GHOST" STORY

DISTRICT ATTORNEY SAYS GRONDIN'S REPORT WAS A PRODUCT OF HIS IMAGINATION

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 26.—Denial of charges by attorneys for John H. Grondin, accused of having murdered his wife, Zella, that the police had used the third degree with a "ghost" as the central figure in an attempt to extort a confession, was made by the district attorney's office today.

According to W. F. Shannon, deputy district attorney, Grondin occasionally becomes delirious from the use of a drug. Shannon declared that the "ghost," which, according to Grondin's attorneys appears in a darkened room where the police had taken the prisoner and demanded in gloomy tones, "Why did you murder me?" was a product of the accused man's imagination.

Grondin is charged with having poisoned his wife here last October and then attempting to establish that she killed herself by inhaling gas. The police said he forged a note explaining his wife's alleged suicide, the note containing an admission of infidelity and the hope that he would be happy with "the woman who truly loved him."

County officials said a widow of Waterville, Me., is the "other woman" in whom Grondin was interested.

Neil Kelliher, a state senator of Maine, who was mentioned in the so-called "suicide letter," telegraphed today that he would come to testify against Grondin.

The letter suggested Kelliher had been infatuated with Mrs. Grondin.

The dead woman was the daughter of George Davican, a druggist of Waterville, Me., where she married Grondin when he was 21 years old.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Joseph C. Charest and Miss Rosanna Paquin were married this morning at a nuptial mass celebrated at 8 o'clock at St. Joseph's church, the officiating clergyman being Rev. C. A. Laquette, O. M. I. The happy couple were attended by Messrs. Urbain Charest and Maxime Milet. At the close of the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride, 138 Aiken street, followed by a wedding dinner.

PICHETTE—MIREAULT

At seven o'clock this morning at St. Joseph's church, the marriage of Mr. Albert Pichette and Miss Mathilde Mireault was performed, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Armand Baron, O. M. I. The witnesses were Cyrille Pichette and Louis Mireault, respective fathers of the bridegroom and bride. At the close of the ceremony a dinner and reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 467 Moody street.

HELD IN $10,000

Rosenfeld Charged With Obtaining $87,000 From Hub Woman

BOSTON, Jan. 26.—After a world wide search, local authorities arrested Samuel Rosenfeld in this city this afternoon on 16 indictments arising from the so-called de luxe book sale cases. Rosenfeld was arraigned on an indictment charging him with obtaining $87,000 from Mary L. Rogers of Boston and was held in $10,000 bail for trial. Although the chase for Rosenfeld extended to Europe he was found in a hotel here.

FOR DISCHARGE OF THAW

BRIEF STATES THAT DEMAND FOR EXTRADITION OPENS DOOR TO SUSPICION OF MALICE

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 26.—Counsel for Harry K. Thaw filed in the United States district court in this city this afternoon a brief of 47 printed pages in support of Thaw's petition for his discharge upon a writ of habeas corpus from the custody of the officers who are holding him upon Governor Felker's warrant for extradition to the state of New York.

The brief claims that "it cannot be said that a person is accorded due process of law under the constitution if he is surrendered to the demanding state on a pretext when the real purpose for demanding him is something foreign to the matters set out in the extradition papers."

It is suggested that the fact that the state of New York in assuming the burden of demanding extradition for so trivial an offense opens the door of suspicion that "behind it all is the malice of private individuals."

FUNERAL NOTICE

CAMPBELL—John E. Campbell, died Jan. 26th, at 55 Stratham street, aged 22 years, 7 months and 25 days. He was the son of Alexander and Janet Campbell. Funeral services Wednesday, Jan. 28, at 55 Stratham street at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Funeral in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck.

INDICTED FOR SMUGGLING

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Lucius N. and William Littauer, brothers, the former at one time a member of congress, have been indicted by the federal grand jury here, charged with smuggling into this country a diamond necklace.

WATER QUESTION

Flooding of the Skating Rink Makes Trouble in Belvidere

There were complaints galore from Belvidere this morning about the condition of the water there and the fault was laid, again at the door of the Shedd park rink. It skipped the mind of the superintendent of parks that Monday is wash day in Belvidere and just for that he opened the six-inch main about one-quarter way for the purpose of flooding the rink. He also turned on the hydrant and the opening of both of these water avenues raised ructions with the women who were doing the week's washing.

The complaints came in at the office of the water board in city hall and Supt. Thomas sought out the superintendent of parks. Mr. Thomas found that the six-inch main had been turned on quarter way, and that the hydrant was in operation. Mr. Kernan, the park superintendent, explained that the main had been turned on only for a short time and he said he would not have turned it on at all had he thought that this was wash day. Mr. Thomas requested Mr. Kernan to shut off the hydrant, too, and Mr. Kernan ordered the hydrant shut off at once.

Mr. Thomas explained that it takes very little to roll the water in the pipes, especially in the case of a long carry like Belvidere. "The skating rink ought not to be flooded on Monday," said Mr. Thomas, "and it ought not to be flooded in the morning at any rate."

He told Mr. Kernan that the flooding should be done in the evening and Mr. Kernan agreed that was right but that in order to do the flooding in the evening the park department would have to pay its men overtime.

"It would be better to pay them overtime than to have these complaints coming in," said Mr. Thomas.

"But we haven't got the money," said Mr. Kernan.

Explaining further about the water, Mr. Thomas said: "There is always more or less sediment in the pipe, iron, sand, etc., and it doesn't take very much to disturb it so as to color the water. The Cook wells and those of the boulevard are in operation at the present time and they run in opposite directions. This, of course, has a tendency to disturb the water and any little extra on top of this makes matters worse. We would like to close the Cook wells but we do not consider it advisable to do so as long as the cold weather continues."

CUNARD LINE CUTS RATES

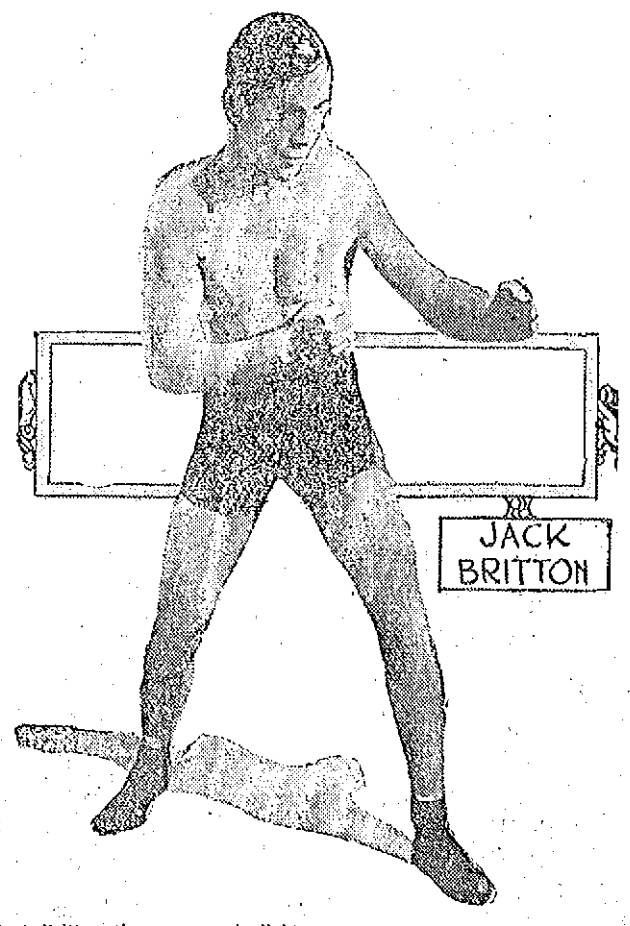
LONDON, Jan. 26.—The American, Cunard and White Star this afternoon announced reductions of $4 in their rates for east-bound passengers and $2.50 for west bound passengers, bringing their prices down to the cut rates of the Hamburg-American steamship company.

FIGHT TO FINISH

Mass. G.O.P. Club Says Progressives Will Return to Fold

BOSTON, Jan. 26.—A hopeful view of the future of the republican party was taken and the prediction that the progressives would eventually return to the fold was made today at the annual meeting of the Republican club of Massachusetts. The club spent $4455 in the campaign last fall, in which Congressman Augustus P. Gardner, the party candidate, was defeated for governor. Former Rep. Courtney Crocker of Boston, the new president of the organization, declared there were already signs that the progressives cannot and will not be held in line. Their natural allegiance, he said, "is with the republicans. If we must fight them or surrender, let us fight them to a finish. In the meantime, let us be willing to learn, so that we shall be ready when the opportunity comes for the rank and file of the two parties to join together again for the common good."

JACK BRITTON HOT ON TRAIL OF "HARLEM" TOMMY MURPHY



Jack Britton, the very speedy light-weight boxer, started in the new year with two very creditable victories and is now looking for new fields to conquer. Britton is particularly anxious to fight "Harlem" Tommy Murphy, who is open for an engagement now that Willie Ritchie has dodged the New Yorker.

SAFETY IS FIRST

Am. Express Co. Notifies Drivers to Give Pedestrians Right of Way

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—In view of the many deaths to pedestrians in motor truck accidents, the American Express Co. announced today that it had equipped the dashboard of each of its trucks with this reminder for the chauffeurs:

"Safety first. Pedestrians have the right of way. In case of doubt, stop your trucks. Take no chances of injuring anyone. Safety first."

58 WOMEN WERE KILLED

MANY MEN AND CHILDREN ALSO LOST LIVES IN A FIRE PANIC AT MOVING PICTURE SHOW

BATAVIA, D. W. I., Jan. 26.—Fifty-eight women and a number of children and men were killed in a fire panic at a moving picture show on a plantation in the Dutch residence of Suraha yesterday. Most of the victims were trampled to death or suffocated.

FUNERALS

O'CONNOR—The funeral of the late John J. O'Connor, a well known resident, took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 1 Manning place, Salem street, and was largely attended. The cortege which comprised over 40 carriages proceeded to St. Patrick's church, where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. James Kerrigan. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes, including a pillow inscribed "Papa" from the children; pillow inscribed "Our John," Daniel O'Connor and family; wreath from the employes of the Whiteall Mfg. Co.; wreath, the Misses Mahoney and Chas. Richards. Other tributes were from B. Agnes Daley, K. Kenney, A. Manning, G. Newton, A. Moran, H. Stratton, Madeline Conley, M. Conley, William Kenney, J. Newton, E. J. Shea, Margaret Quinn, Catherine Devine, Mrs. Ellen Rohan, Mrs. John Lynch, Mr. Michael Nelligan and family, Mrs. Mary Moriarty and Miss Mary Ann Saunders. The following delegation from the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's church of which deceased was an esteemed member, were in attendance: Patrick Reardon, John Regan, Daniel Redding and Daniel Murphy. The bearers were Thomas Sheehy, Maurice O'Connor, Patrick Thomas, John Wrean, Michael Nelligan and Jeremiah Dean. At the grave, Rev. Fr. Kerrigan read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

REARDON—The funeral of Mrs. Susan A. Reardon, formerly of Hillsboro, N. H., was held at the Lowell cemetery this morning at 11.30 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Walter F. Whitney, pastor of the Methodist church at Ashburnham, Mass. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

FOR LATE LOCAL AND TELEGRAPH NEWS SEE LATER EDITIONS

From Yesterday's Late Editions

FOR REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING STOCK MARKET SEE LATER EDITIONS

NO CHANGE IN THE FINANCIAL PROBLEM

In 1912 the city council went to the legislature in search of relief relative to the temporary loan by borrowing beyond the debt limit. This movement on the part of the municipal council was opposed by all of the republican representatives from Lowell. The condition that confronted the city two years ago was identical with the condition that confronts the city at the present time and the city is seeking the same remedy. What will be the attitude of the republican representatives at this time? That is the question uppermost in the minds of the municipal council and others. City Solicitor J. Joseph Hennessy recommended the very same remedy then that is being tried at the present time.

The present situation or movement recalls to mind the opinion given by City Solicitor Hennessy on April 3, 1912, a copy of which is included in the March report of the commissioner of finance for 1912. In this opinion the city solicitor very clearly defines the law regulating the creation and payment of temporary loans in anticipation of taxes, specifically stating at that time, as he has since, that under existing conditions there was but one way to thoroughly liquidate the temporary loan at that time and that was by an enabling act of the legislature.

He stated then "that where an obligation is created conformable to such provisions and limitations must be carried out with particularity." So, therefore, it would seem that unless it is practicable and convenient to gather in all taxes now for the years 1912 and 1913 there can be no relief enabling the city to retire its outstanding temporary loan when the notes come to maturity June 30, of the present year.

It is argued that the legislature in its wisdom passed the new law whereby taxes shall be collected every year instead of every 22 months as heretofore and that again the legislature, in its wisdom, provided that the new law should not become operative until January, 1915. The legislature's motive in doing this, it is claimed, was to give the taxpayers an opportunity to prepare for the employment of the new law. Following this line of argument to its logical conclusion it is suggested that inasmuch as the legislature saw fit to postpone the time for the new law to take effect in January, 1915, it does not become a city to demand this year what the act provides for next year.

The city solicitor's opinion heretofore referred to reads as follows:

Lowell, Mass., April 3, 1912.

James E. Donnelly, Esq. Commissioner of Finance.

Dear Sir:

Your reference to me of certain questions propounded by Mr. Rex have received the consideration of the city solicitor, the questions being as follows:

1. Can a debt, under the statute referred to, which requires its payment within one year, be renewed without legislation by the general court, authorizing such renewal?

2. A debt is issued with an agreement under the issuing authority by which taxes of a certain year are pledged to pay it. The taxes are collected, the proceeds used for other purposes and the dept is not paid. Can assets of a subsequent period be used as collateral asset with which to pay the debt?

3. Would not the failure to pay the debt within the year from issue as provided in the statute, change the nature of the debt from one which would not be used in computing the debt limit, to one which would be considered in computing the debt limit? In other words would not the failure to comply with the law in paying change the nature of the debt automatically into a debt which must be a part of the debt limit by law?

In answer to the first question the city solicitor inclines to the opinion that such municipal debt as described cannot be renewed by any authority of the municipal government. The limitations and restrictions placed upon a city as to its power of incurring debts are definitely set forth in chapter 27 of the revised laws.

To the second question, the city solicitor is of the opinion that where an obligation is created conformable to certain provisions and limitations, that such provisions and limitations must be carried out with particularity. The revised laws of the commonwealth of Massachusetts, section 6, of chapter 27, prescribes unequivocally the authority and limitations of a city in creating "temporary loans" such as you refer to in your request:

"Section 6. Cities and towns may by a majority vote incur debts for temporary loans in anticipation of the taxes of the municipal year in which such debt are incurred and expressly made payable therefrom by such vote. Such loans shall be payable within one year after the date of their incurrence, and shall not be reckoned in determining the authorized limit of indebtedness."

It seems therefore, that no other assets of the city can be applied to make up any existing deficit in the original collateral.

To the third query, it is the opinion of the city solicitor that the so-called temporary loan referred to ought not to be computed in determining the debt limitation, for the reason that it had never been contemplated as a debt to be so regarded; that it was a debt created by authority of law, provided with certain limitations and restrictions, these restrictions and limitations having been violated and disregarded. The debt must stand or fall upon those requirements stated in section 6 of chapter 27 of the revised laws. There can be no automatic shifting; the debt has its own limitation by the authority which permitted its creation.

There is but one remedy in the light of the facts that have come to my knowledge with regard to the payment of this temporary loan, and that remedy having been suggested by Mr. Rex at a conference with the city solicitor, that remedy being to apply to the legislature for the enactment of an enabling act, to provide for the payment of that loan, in serial payments.

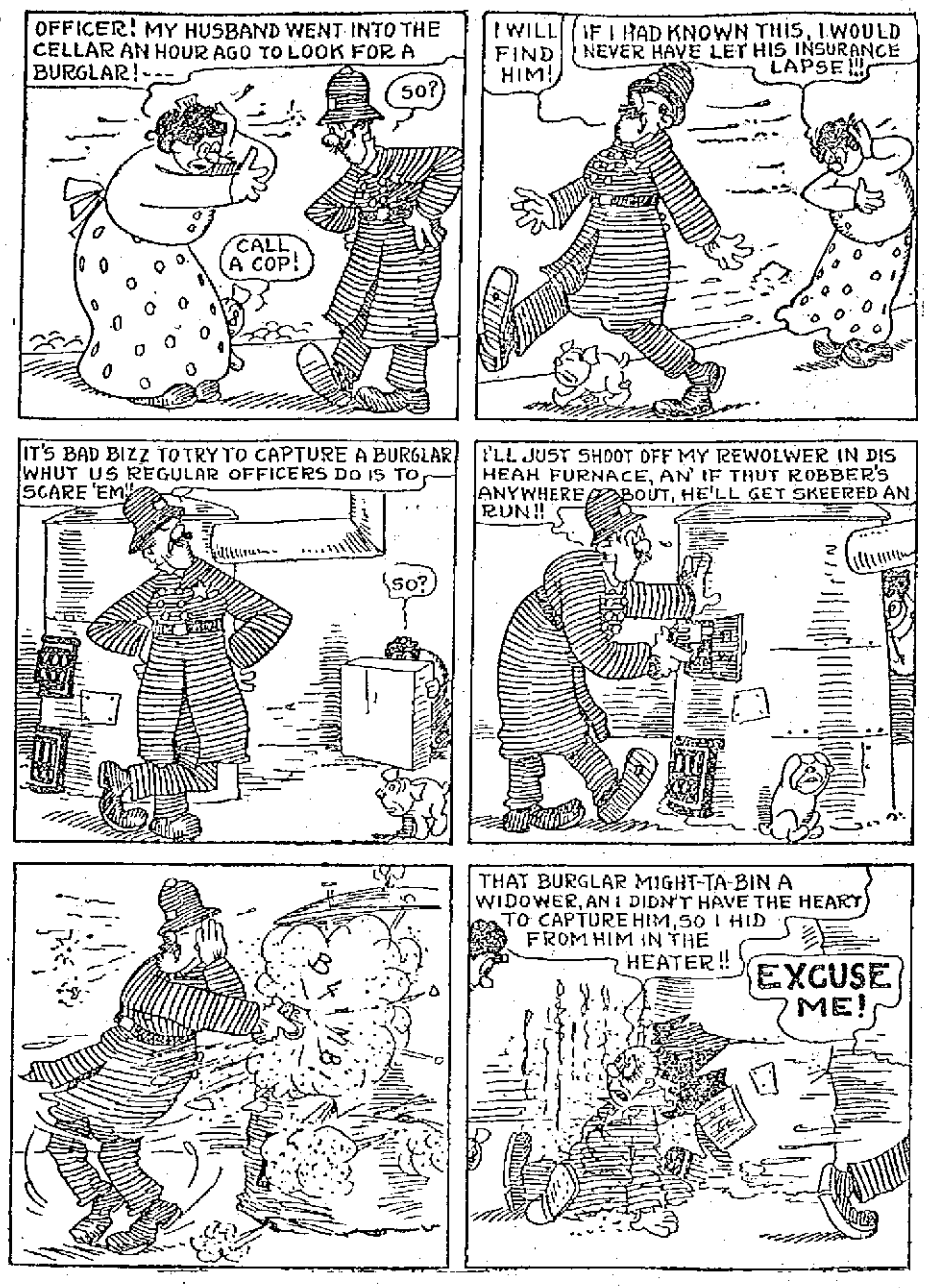
The opinion herein stated is based upon the assumption that the collateral assets, which are required by law as a security for said loan have disappeared in part, if not wholly.

You will observe especially section 8 of chapter 27 of the revised laws, that such loans (meaning temporary loans contemplated by said section 6) shall not be reckoned in determining the authorized limit of indebtedness.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) J. Joseph Hennessy,
City Solicitor.

EXCUSE ME



TRAIN SERVICE HEARING

TO BE HELD ON BEACON HILL ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON — LOCAL MERCHANTS INTERESTED

The public service commission will give a hearing in its rooms, 1 Beacon street, Boston, next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock relative to the discontinuance of trains between Lowell and Salem and Lowell and Ayer, and it is expected that a number of people from this city and the surrounding towns will be present in an attempt to have the trains remain on the schedule. The Salem board of trade has been notified of the hearing, and Senator Fisher has arranged with the boards in Westford and Ayer to have representatives present.

The trains in question are the ones leaving Ayer for Lowell and Salem at 6.55 a. m.; the one that leaves Lowell at 11.50 a. m. for Ayer; and the 12.52 p. m. from Ayer to Lowell.

There are hundreds of residents of towns between this city and Ayer who do their shopping here and the morning train has always been very popular with them. The public enjoys shopping in larger centres, and as Lowell is the nearest city to these towns, the taking off of this train would probably decrease the number of shoppers to a great extent. The 11.50 a. m. train for Ayer connects in the latter city for Worcester, and if the railroad is allowed to discontinue this train Lowell people will have to seek transportation on another route.

The trains between Lowell and Salem are very well patronized during the summer and are also used by the teachers of the Lowell and Salem Normal schools in journeying from one city to the other. There are a great many people on this route who not only come to Lowell to look things over, but to do a little trading and if the number of trains is decreased the Lowell business men will lose.

Secretary Murphy will represent the Lowell board of trade at the hearing.

LAID AT REST

Funeral of Lord Strathcona Commissioner of Canada

LONDON, Jan. 26.—The body of the late Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, high commissioner for Canada, was buried today with simple ceremonies in Highgate cemetery, North London, beside that of his wife, who died only a few months ago.

Before the interment a great funeral service was held in Westminster abbey which was attended by state officials and persons prominent in all circles of society. From the residence of the deceased statesman to the abbey the streets were lined with crowds of people who reverently uncovered as the procession passed.

The pallbears were:

The Duke of Argyle, keeper of the great seal of Scotland; the Earl of Aberdeen and the Marquis of Lansdowne, all of them former governors general of Canada; the Earl of Lichfield, Sir Thomas Vansittart Bowwater, lord mayor of London; the Right Hon. Louis Harcourt, secretary of state for the colonies; Sir William Osler, Sir Thomas Skinner and Prof. George Adam Smith, vice chancellor of Aberdeen university of which Lord Strathcona was chancellor up to the time of his death.

King George and Queen Mary, Queen Mother Alexandra and several other members of the royal family as well as Premier Asquith were represented at the service at the abbey and most of the members of the cabinet and the foreign ambassadors, including Walter Hines Page of the United States, attended.

CALL GOMPERS TO EXPLAIN

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 26.—After Charles H Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners had charged that "if the strike of the copper miners in Michigan is lost it will be due directly to the inactivity of the executive council of the American Federation of Labor," the convention of the United Mine Workers of America today voted unanimously to request Samuel Gompers, president of the Federation, to appear before the convention and explain the attitude of the council.

SCHOOL BOARD WILL MEET

And Prepare Estimates for the Year—Supt. Molloy Says There are Too Many Schools Here

The school board will meet tomorrow night at which time the school department estimate for the year will be taken up. The committee expects to complete the estimates at the meeting and they will then be forwarded to the auditor's office.

There seems to be a doubt in the minds of some as to the applicability of the new law against borrowing for current expenses to the school department and the city solicitor was asked about it. He states that the law applies to the school department just as it does to any other department and he thought he had made that very plain in his recent opinion submitted to the school committee. He says that under new conditions it is absolutely imperative to appropriate the entire sum at the beginning of the year. There is no going back for a second grant.

The School Question

Hugh J. Molloy, superintendent of schools, believes that in order to effect substantial economy in schools the whole system will have to be changed. The only way open for sudden economy would be to cut down on salaries and supplies. Mr. Molloy believes that the real economy will come when Lowell decides to have fewer but larger school houses. He thinks that the school house zone is too large at the present time and that to combine economy and efficiency there should be a sort of "get together" movement inaugurated.

Mr. Molloy figures that the old school houses could be sold and that in the course of a few years the school problem, housing, etc., would be practically solved, plus efficiency and economy. In his annual report for 1912 Mr. Molloy refers to this matter at follows:

When we come to the general consideration of the school houses in the city of Lowell we find a rather interesting, not to say peculiar, state of affairs. According to the facts set forth in the summary on page 12 of this report, 53 buildings are occupied by day schools, and the number of school rooms in actual use is 306; these figures show an average of less than six rooms per building.

If we take the buildings used for the high school and, in addition to them, seven other large school buildings, a total of nine school buildings in all, we shall have remaining 44 buildings, with 171 rooms; here, then, we have 44 school buildings which show an average of less than four rooms.

On the score of economy alone, taking into consideration the care and heating of the buildings and fixed or overhead charges generally, this plan of housing children, which has grown up during a long term of years and without a far-seeing or comprehensive scheme, is wasteful.

On the score of efficiency and the administration of the school department in such a way as to get the best possible results from the money expended, such scattering of children at so many points throughout the city has practically nothing to recommend it.

If we had fewer and better and larger buildings, buildings, let us say, which would in almost every case accommodate 500 or 600 pupils, supervision could be more regular and thorough, the grading of pupils could be adapted better to their needs, the problem of the backward child and the progessive one also could be treated better, and special classes, which we need greatly could be arranged are carried on.

Lowell is, all things considered, a very compact city and the distances within the different sections and even from one section to another are comparatively short; and there is no apparent need of so many school buildings even if it were economical to continue to use them; much less, then, should such a state of affairs be allowed to continue since economy, efficiency and progressive school administration all argue against it.

Careful, comprehensive study of the school population, present school districts, and the conditions which are likely to prevail during the next 10 or 20 years would lead to the adoption of a large and coherent plan for the proper housing of the school children of Lowell; and such a plan would be in reality a saving and economical one for the city, particularly when we consider to what an extent a large amount of discarded property would contribute toward the cost of new buildings, while the decreased cost of maintenance and tuition, on account of better and more compact grouping and classification, would go a long way toward meeting the expense of making the change.

It is safe to say that there is no question of municipal administration today which is more important; the question should be taken up and investigated thoroughly, because the development and the progressive administration of the school system depend upon it to a very high degree.

LOWELL BOY IS WITNESS

In Murder Trial in New York—Man Charged With Killing Arthur Laurent

Thomas W. Brophy, a resident of this city, is in receipt of a summons to appear in court at Tupper Lake, N. Y. on Feb. 2, where he is wanted as a witness in a murder trial in connection with the death of Arthur Laurent, a young man who lived in Lowell and who was shot to death by a railroad detective.

Brophy was also shot at the time, receiving a bullet in the right thigh, but his injuries were of a slight nature and he fully recovered, but his friend, Arthur Laurent, whose parents live in Perkins street, this city, died a few days after the shooting in a hospital in the state of New York. His body was later brought to this city, where burial took place.

According to Brophy, who was seen by the writer this morning, the shooting occurred on March 21, 1913. He in company with Laurent had left this city in search of work and inasmuch as they were penniless, they rode blind baggage on freight cars. When they reached Tupper Lake, N. Y., they were chased by a railroad detective named McQuade, but Brophy claims they were not guilty of any offense and that the detective was entirely mistaken as to their identity. When they reached the railroad station at Tupper Lake, so Brophy says, they stopped and without the slightest warning McQuade fired on them.

Laurent was mortally wounded and although he was removed to a hospital and given the best of care, he passed away a couple of days later, while he, Brophy, remained at the hospital for some time. McQuade was later arrested and a complaint charging him with murder was filed against him. The opening of the trial was set for Feb. 2, and Brophy of this city will be the chief witness.

MAN FOUND DEAD

Frank C. Harrigan Died Suddenly at Home in Brown's Court

Frank C. Harrigan, aged 48 years, was found dead in bed today about 11 o'clock at his home, No. 1 Brown's court, by a plumber working about the premises.

The dead man had lived at this address about a year, coming from Lawrence, where it is said he has relatives living. His wife, who was found in a dazed condition, was taken to the station by the police, where she will be questioned as soon as she recovers. It is said that they have one child, now residing in a home in Boston.

The dead man, according to neighbors, had not been working since Christmas. Of late, it is said, he had become discouraged by his inability to obtain work, and sought relief in drink.

The body was removed to McKenna's undertaking rooms on Bridge street.

WOMAN SAVES 15 GUESTS

WRAPPED HER HEAD IN BLANKET AND DASHED THROUGH BLAZING CORRIDORS OF HOTEL

PITTSBURGH, Pa., January 26.—Wrapping her head in a blanket, Mrs. Edwin Walton, wife of the proprietor of the Hotel Walton in Homestead, a suburb, this morning made her way through blazing corridors to awaken 15 guests. They escaped in their night clothing before the hotel was totally destroyed with a loss of $36,000.

TWO KILLED BY TRAIN

GATES AT RAILROAD CROSSING WERE NOT IN WORKING ORDER WHEN ACCIDENT HAPPENED

AMSTERDAM, N. Y., Jan. 26.—Oscar Miles, a gatetender, and Mrs. Minnie Bauman were instantly killed today at a West Shore railroad crossing in this city by a light engine. The gates were not in working order and Miles rushed to warn Miss Bauman, who was slightly deaf, when both were struck.

BROWN TALKS

On Tax Rate and About Alleged Reforms in Progress

Commissioner Brown went to Boston today for the purpose of consulting with the state tax commissioners. "I am going to see the tax commissioners," he said, "and at tomorrow's meeting of the municipal council I may suggest that the state tax commissioners be invited to come to Lowell for the purpose of investigating the work of the Lowell assessors of taxes."

Mr. Brown said, too, that he may take up some other matters pertinent at this time and he insinuated that he would have something to say relative to the alleged reform in Lowell. "I am sick and tired of this reform talk," he said today, "and the people ought to know the truth in the matter. Sometimes tax dodgers holler reform. I believe in the reduction of the tax rate by honest and efficient administration and I believe in a constructive policy.

"Lowell has suffered at the hands of alarmists and their imaginative story has been sowed broadcast. Even strangers come to our city now and tell us how terrible we are. They compare Lowell to San Francisco on the very strength of the story sent out by the deflers within our gates. I have criticized the actions and motives of men, and when I had any criticism to make, I went out before the people and laid bare my thoughts to them. The man who decries the city in which he lives is not a worthy citizen, but a menace to the city in which he lives.

"Let us see what reforms have been made since the new government came in power. We find a little curtailment in labor at the expense of cripples and men with large families. Two bartenders have been arrested for selling as many half pints of liquor and the excuse given that others escaped was that an officer at the police station tipped off the saloons. That doesn't spell any great reform.

"What little curtailment has been made in labor is not the kind of curtailment that the individual or the council can feel very proud of. A one-armed man with a large family was discharged after years of faithful service; another man with eight or nine motherless children was made to walk the plank after years of service and still another old hand with a large family was given his skidoo papers, and this is the reform that certain ones are boasting about.

"Blessed be reform!"

A LITTLE NONSENSE

THE LOCAL CAR SERVICE

WILL BE DISCUSSED AT HEARING BEFORE BAY STATE OFFICIALS NEXT MONTH

General Supt. Thomas Lees of the Bay State street railway and Supt. Farrington of the local division, have agreed to attend a hearing in the board of trade rooms on Tuesday evening, Feb. 3, at 7.30 o'clock, relative to the car service in this city and the surrounding towns. At this time complaints will be heard and communications from people who are unable to attend will be read.

The purpose of this hearing is to improve the street railway service in this city and its suburbs. The boards of trade of Billerica and other towns will be represented and other persons who wish to secure better car service will be heard.

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TO PUNISH VIOLATORS

In the new anti-trust plans of President Wilson, one of the greatest departures from the old order in his announcement that he will not direct his energies to the punishment of previous violators of the Sherman anti-trust law but favors a policy that will punish those personally responsible for illegal monopoly in future—presumably by a prison sentence. For this purpose the new laws to be formulated and passed will have criminal provisions which were not included in the Sherman act.

This policy has been criticized in several quarters as being dangerous and reactionary. The danger that is anticipated consists largely in a hostile attitude of business leaders against the administration, but of this there can be little fear if we are to take the expressed approval of business for guidance. It ought to be sufficient to vindicate the government that the anti-trust methods of the Taft regime, which though active were inefficient, show unmistakably the need for some more practical method of dealing with violators of the anti-trust laws. Not even the leaders of the government suits against the Standard Oil and other big corporations were blinded into thinking that there was anything more than a fake submission to federal authority. Fines in cases of such violations as were proved against the ineffectually reformed companies are wholly inadequate; the Wilson plan of direct personal responsibility seems to be far the better way. If there is anything to be feared from possible business opposition, such opposition based on abused special privilege could not last long against federal adherence to the terms of the new law.

The absolution of business from past offences will bring about a spirit of greater co-operation, but there will be cases where the confidence of the government will be abused. Yet after the passage of the tariff and currency measures, there would be little good and much danger in raking over past records of business for the purpose of effecting prosecutions. The miracle of absolute compliance with the law is too much to expect, but to the credit of the administration it must be admitted that business has shown a better spirit towards the government than at any time during the last two administrations.

Though the government will not proceed against corporations and business firms for past violations of the law, it does not by any means remove from the offenders the stigma of the offence or protect them against the just law suits of individuals or other business firms. As a proof of what may be done in this regard is a pending suit by which the receivers of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad are bringing civil action against the men who were the directors of that system from December 1, 1909, to June 1, 1910, to recover the sum of $14,000,000. The suit is in accordance with recent instructions of Circuit Judge Walter H. Sanborn and gives as its ground of action that the men proceeded against "unlawfully, carelessly and negligently caused the Frisco to expend $14,405,921 . . . without receiving anything of value in exchange," and that "without lawful authority they caused a large debt to be created against the Frisco corporation."

If the stockholders can thus indirectly cause suits to be brought against wasteful boards of directors and if the heads of business are made personally responsible for any tendency to monopoly in restraint of trade, it seems as though the law is being brought nearer to the people. There is nothing reactionary in this as it simply does away with the barriers of legal technicality that formerly obtruded itself between the offending firm and the principle of the Sherman anti-trust act.

GOVERNOR OR POLICE CHIEF

Just when the country was beginning to accept as final the news that Col. Goethals was to be the first governor of Panama comes the rumor that he has been selected by Mayor Mitchel to be the chief of the police forces of New York, and that there is every probability of his accepting the position. It is being hinted that the delay of the administration about settling the government of Panama on a permanent basis is responsible for his determination to become New York's police chief. Although there is no doubt that the conditions in New York call for a leader of the highest ability, and that the brilliant colonel has all the characteristics needed for the ideal man in the position, Panama is the place for him at the present time. The engineer who builds a great canal has ability of a kind that cannot be utilized at the head of a police department, and great though the demands are, the position is not worthy of such a phenomenally brilliant man as Mr. Goethals.

There can be but little truth in the rumor that the famed canal builder is selecting the New York position as a means to future political advancement, for his past actions show that he does not regard mere political preferment as desirable. It is perfectly natural that he should urge the government to settle the affairs of the Isthmus, for if the administration of affairs there is left in a state of confusion or placed in unworthy hands, the benefits of the canal will be minimized. The canal has made the new Panama and Goethals has made the great canal. He is the man for governor, and it will not be to the credit of the government if through procrastination or something less excusable he is permitted to become the head of the New York police department—great though the gain would be to the metropolis.

HOME RULE ASSURED

Throughout the strenuous home rule fight which has been waged in the British Isles for months past few of the leaders most interested have done more and said less than John E. Redmond, the brilliant leader of the nationalists. While Carson and Craig and O'Brien were pouring out passionate protestations and threats to the press of the world he has gone on solidifying his party, and attending to all the details of the fight which has meant so much for Ireland under his wise and prudent leadership. At critical times, however, he has given out messages notable for their optimism, prudence and moderation as well as for their eloquent patriotism. Such was his speech at Waterford on Sunday in which he said: "Every sane man knows that, bar accidents, the home rule bill will be the law of the land this year."

To those who sincerely or otherwise make the ridiculous proposition that the majority in Ireland should be guided by the uncompromising minority, Mr. Redmond made the following answer:

"If any change is made in the home rule bill, it will only be to buy the good will of our opponents. But I say frankly that I see no prospects of their good will being purchased at any price whatever. That good will is worth purchasing at a big price, but any change in the bill should be consistent with the unity of Ireland. There are no lengths short of abandonment of the principles you and I hold to which I would not go to win the confidence of the men of Ulster."

This has been his attitude from the first, for while he has gone more than half way in consenting to any reasonable measure that would placate the hostility of the Ulster malcontents, he has not for a moment consented to anything that would interfere with the national unity of Ireland.

SAFETY FIRST

The Sunday meeting of railroad men in Boston with its three thousand in attendance representing all grades of railroad men from the president of the road down to the oiler of the engine is significant of the great change that has come over the relationship of the railroads and the public and is representative of the policies that must be adopted before reconstruction sets in. At last in the department of safety to the public, technicalities have been set aside and the human element has entered in. There was no formal following of prosaic precedent, but in simple straightforward style Howard Elliott dealt with plain facts in plain language, urging the fullest co-operation between all classes of railroad employes and promising to be one of them in the great work of safeguarding the patrons of the railroad.

It now remains for the public to do its part in this as in all other matters affecting its relationship to the railroads. Too often in the past railroad wrecks and other accidents were dealt with as though the heads of the departments were indifferent or worse. In caricature, news item and editorial the railroad officials were represented as human monsters interested only in the financial aspects of their profession and utterly regardless of the feelings of those who had been afflicted in the many accidents of this part of the country. This attitude must be dispelled, and nothing will conduce more to this end than agitations of the safety first idea such as that in Boston on Sunday. Not all the carelessness was with the road, and with the public discussion of the matter in all its phases, good is sure to follow.

THE IMMIGRATION BILL

Supporters of the new immigration bill with its literacy test clause such as was in the measure vetoed by President Taft, are urging its speedy discussion in congress. It is being argued, and wisely, that since the agitation of the matter throughout the nation such a short time ago, there is little need to educate the public, and the legislators in Washington have their minds fairly well made up on the matter. Among those who oppose the present bill, as in the case of the discarded one, are many who favor the restriction of immigration but who feel that the proper basis of selection should be a matter of character rather than education. At the present time the country can take care of all the healthy, law abiding immigrants who may wish to come, and there are great possibilities in their future service to the country if fostered by the government. Considering that the administration has been considering the question of better distribution of immigrants it is not probable that the president will favor the present bill. Even should it go through congress he will in all probability veto it as did President Taft.

A MUNICIPAL STORE

An offshoot of the public market plan has been put into operation in Chicago by the opening of a municipal store where groceries will be sold to the poor at cost. If successful, meats and clothing will be added to its stock and the people it is meant to benefit will be enabled to get more of the necessaries of life without being obliged to support the middleman. The market has been opened by the authority of the Chicago city council which recently appropriated $25,000 for the purpose. Though it is yet too early to predict the effect of the venture, many leading humanitarians in Chicago are giving it unreserved praise. The county agent who has been mostly responsible for the movement has declared that it is in no sense a charity institution but a means of teaching the poor economy by selling them necessaries of life at cost. If many agitations in this section will materialize we may see a general adoption of the municipal market idea nearer home than Chicago.

If you should want to see some of the hibernating loafers and near-criminals that infest the parks and playgrounds in the good old summer time you'll find them among those turned out of police court when some particularly notorious unfortunate is to be tried.

A western news item tells that during a third degree "performance" a faked "ghost" was ineffectual in trying to get a confession from an alleged murderer. Somebody should murder the third degree that would permit such revolting horrors.

Those visits to Boston may mean much and they may only lead the government a little further into the Hampton maze of Lowell finance. We do not yet see the Moses who is to lead them out.

Rev. Appleton Grannis has exploded some of the far fetched ideas of race uplift by showing that the damaged dramas leave behind them damaged morals and damaged pocketbooks.

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Seen and Heard

There is a very worthy enterprise being promoted for the purpose of conserving and turning into commercial value the great waste that has been perpetrated throughout the pine forests of Georgia. The stumps and dead timber are by scientific process converted into rosin and turpentine. The enterprise in its infancy had its financial straits, and became embarrassed by debts. The receivers of the company, together with 85 per cent of its creditors, united in a bill petitioning that certificates be issued. To this only one small creditor objected. The federal district court for the southern district of Georgia allowed this small claim to be paid, and permitted the rest of the creditors to receive certificates, saying: "He has a very small regard for the day and time in which he lives who would refuse the opportunity to men when they wish to pay the privilege of expending their own money for continuing this demonstration and bringing to profitable fruition the labors which have been designed by the genius who discovered the process. I cannot find it in my heart to do this. * * * In a long judicial life never have I seen the promise of such amazing benefits in any project for the betterment of all before the court and the people at large." B. Borchardt Co. v. Yaryan Naval Stores Co., 206 Federal Reporter, 366.

Turkeys and Thanksgiving to most stomachs are synonymous. The lordly cousin to the chicken is always interesting even to one who, in view of the high cost of living, may not be able to buy a last year's turkey's nest egg. Perhaps the learned judge in Lewis v. Norfolk Southern Railroad Company of North Carolina (supreme court of No. Carolina), 79 Southeastern Reporter, 253, was thinking of Thanksgiving, for he upheld the rights of turkeys with true Puritan valor. The defendant railroad company was sued for running down and killing six turkeys on its right of way. The court held that the company was negligent in not sounding the whistle when seeing the turkeys. (It might be suggested that the state prosecutes the railroad company for so wantonly destroying the resources of the country.) "From the known characteristics of turkeys, a flock of them feeding on or crossing a track might not notice that the train was approaching or attempt to fly. But, as when a gun is discharged close by, if there had been the sharp blow of the whistle, the turkeys would doubtless have taken to wing or have run. They are very timid if alarmed but they are not alert to perceive danger. * * * The jury would have been justified in inferring from the evidence that the failure to blow the whistle was the proximate cause of the turkeys being killed, and that they would have removed themselves promptly by flight if the whistle had been sharply blown."

In these days of "mud slinging," it might be interesting to note that the following was held not libelous per se in Walsh v. Pulitzer Publishing Company (Supreme Court of Missouri) 157 Southwestern Reporter, 326: "The mere candidacy of such a person as Walsh for such an office should fill the city with alarm. He has no qualifications for the place. His sponsors and his associates are survivors of the most degraded regime that St. Louis ever knew. He can have no proper motive in aspiring to the place." Walsh was seeking candidacy to the office of circuit attorney. The above was published concerning him. He sued for $25,000. The court decided that in as far as the words were not of themselves actionable without the statement of extrinsic allegations, which were not given, plaintiff has no cause of action. The court in part said: "The plaintiff is a lawyer, as is evident from his candidacy, and his reputation, even by the laity, is not rated or his character measured by the standing of his sponsors and associates, which we take to mean his clients. The doctrine of noscitur a sociis, which, liberally Englished, is not with seriousness applied to a lawyer who, if engaged in the criminal practice, may have a questionable class of clients, and yet suffer no discredit therefrom in the estimation of the public * * * While a candidate for a public office is not to be subjected to a discussion in the public press of his reputation or character at the expense of truth, for a lie is never privileged, it is the right and duty of a newspaper to discuss his fitness for the place he seeks in such a manner as to present the full facts to the electors either by contrast or comparison with other candidates, or by an analysis of his individual qualifications."

THE HOPELESS MAN

The world appeared to him to be
A dismal, dreary place;
He looked at all things gloomily,
A frown was on his face;
He lost his faith, he hoped no more
To see his fortunes rise;
To him existence was a bore—
He needed exercise.

He jumped at every sound and seemed
To be oppressed with fear;
He tossed in bed at night or dreamed
That foes were lurking near;
He saw no promise out ahead,
He shunned the good and wise,
And longed to be among the dead—
He needed exercise.

He got to thinking other men
Connived to do him wrong;
His heart was filled with terror when
He heard a clanging gong;
He lost the hope that he might win
A mansion in skies;
No poison oozed out through his skin—
He needed exercise.
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Record-Herald.

MONEY

Drink; let the world drink with you;
Laugh, and you'll always have friends;
You're a good fellow when you've got money;
When you're broke—well, everything ends.

Sad? What do you want of sadness?
Grief? They have grief of their own.
But as long as you've got the money
You're as good as a king on his throne.

But don't let the old world annoy you.
Laugh and you'll still have some friends.
But stick to the cash when you get it;
When you're broke—well, everything ends.

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The Other Case.

Dayton, Ohio.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound relieved me of pains in my side that I had for years and which doctors' medicines failed to relieve. It has certainly saved me from an operation. I will be glad to assist you by a personal letter to any woman in the same condition."—Mrs. J. W. SHERER, 126 Cass St., Dayton, Ohio.

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ST. MARGARET'S PARISH

TO HOLD JUNIOR PARTY—MEETING OF COMMITTEES LAST EVENING

The committee in charge of the junior party of St. Margaret's parish which will take place in Lincoln hall on the evening of Feb. 6, met last evening and received the reports of the various sub-committees. All indications point to a most successful occasion for the young people of the parish, realizing that the party is in an especial manner for them, have taken hold with a will, and consequently the tickets have sold rapidly.

When the primary arrangements were being made the young people in charge sought the assistance of experienced ladies, so added to the fresh zeal of the promoters of the affair is the wisdom of those who have been long identified with the social affairs of the parish.

A committee of the following ladies are seeing to it that nothing will be left undone, to make the evening of the 6th of February a most enjoyable one. Mrs. George B. Green, with whom the the idea of the junior party originated, is at the head of the ladies' committees.

Printing and music: Mrs. P. Gilbride, Mrs. Patrick Ryan, Mrs. W. W. Murphy.

Committee on refreshments: Mrs. John M. Murphy, Mrs. James F. Morrison, Mrs. Thomas Henry, Mrs. John Connor, Mrs. Agnes Coughlin, Mrs. Frank Campbell, Mrs. Dennis J. Cooney, Mrs. James B. Casey, Mrs. John Condon, Mrs. Wm. F. Daley, Mrs. Richard Donoghue, Mrs. George M. Harrigan, Mrs. Margaret M. Bagshaw, Mrs. Peter Conaton, Mrs. Henry Reynolds, Mrs. Daniel Shannahan, Mrs. Anthony A. Conway, Mrs. James Donovan.

Committee on decorations: Miss Sarah Hennessey, Miss Esther Green, Mrs. John Cunningham, Mrs. Edward Gallagher, Miss Mabel Cassidy, Miss Alice Doherty, Miss Esther Owens, Mrs. Chas. McCarthy.

General manager, Henry Mulcahy; assistant general manager, Chas Callahan. Floor director, Geo. Conley. Assistant floor director, Aloysius Green.

PAID BY NEW HAVEN

LAWYER ALBIN L. RICHARDS, FOURTH MEMBER OF WYMAN FAMILY, ON THE PAYROLL

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Albin L. Richards, a lawyer, formerly of the department of government at Harvard college, was on the New Haven payroll at $50 a day, receiving in all $2123, according to the testimony at the resumed hearings on New Haven expenses before the public service commission yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Richards is a brother-in-law of Prof. Bruce Wyman, formerly of the Harvard law school, who previously testified that he received $10,000 a year from the New Haven. Mr. Richards secured his employment with the New Haven through Ferdinand A. Wyman. Prof. Wyman's father, who himself was employed by the New Haven for $50 a day.

This testimony was given yesterday by Ferdinand A. Wyman, Jr., Prof. Wyman's brother, who himself told of receiving more than $600 from the New Haven for assisting his father in interviewing business men on matters of interest to the New Haven.

SIR EDWARD CARSON

REPLIES TO REDMOND IN A MORE PEACEABLE TONE THAN USUAL BUT INDEFINITELY

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Sir Edward Carson, leader of the Ulsterites, in a speech at Lincoln last night, said he was ready to join John Redmond, the Irish nationalist leader, in an attempt to extend real local government to Ireland or to remove any abuses or injustices, social or religious. Referring to Mr. Redmond's speech at Waterford on Sunday, he declared:

"If this is the last word from his side we are in a lamentable and critical state of affairs. I am a man of peace, but not of peace at any price."

In his speech Mr. Redmond said that if any change was made in the home rule bill it would only be to buy the good will of the opponents of the bill and he added that he saw no prospects of their good will being purchased at any price whatever.

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MANICURE GIRL SUES

BOSTON YOUNG WOMAN ASKS FOR $10,000 FROM INSURANCE AGENT IN LOST LOVE SUIT

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Emily R. Sampson, formerly a down town manicurist, yesterday entered a $10,000 attachment in a suit for breach of promise against Charles M. Estabrook, treasurer of the local agency of the Brotherhood Accident company.

Estabrook, who is not married, lives at 391 Ashmont street, Dorchester. He last night denied that the allegations of the manicurist were true.

"About a year ago I met this woman in a barber shop in the basement of 23 Exchange street," said Estabrook. "She was a manicurist, and I had my nails attended to.

"She has a husband living from whom she is divorced for about a year."

"I have written no letters to the woman nor have I given her any presents. I shall fight the suit. She has sued me for $10,000; but she can't get blood out of a stone."

SUBSTITUTE FOR RADIUM

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Dr. Francis B. Donoghue of Boston, before the house mines committee yesterday urged that the committee include in any legislation for protecting the radium supply, "substitutes for radium."

He said that meso-thorium, a much cheaper product than radium, was equally effective.

TALLEST OF BOSTON COPS

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Boston has a new tallest policeman. The new record-holder, who is six feet, seven and one-half inches in height and weighs 203 pounds, is John J. Maloney, who until yesterday was a member of Fire Engine company 12 of Dudley street, Roxbury. He began his first tour of duty at the Hanover street station last night.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—The cost of maintaining Chicago's public schools for 1914 is placed at $16,700,000, according to the budget issued today.

GREAT GOLFER COMING

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 27.—Ben Sayres, for more than 40 years a prominent figure in British golf, is coming to America in May or June. Sayres, who was instructor to the late King Edward, plans to visit Philadelphia first to see his son. The two will play a few exhibitions and may take a trip through the eastern states.

INDIGESTION, GAS OR SICK, SOUR STOMACH

Time "Pape's Diapepsin! In Five Minutes All Stomach Misery is Gone.

"Really does" put bad stomachs in order—"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes—that—just that—makes Pape's Diapepsin the largest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food and acid; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy is its harmlessness.

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Tuesday Evening, Jan. 27

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Tuesday, January 27th

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COL. GOETHALS

Canal Builder Who May Head the New York Police Department

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Mayor Mitchel has made public a letter from Colonel George W. Goethals indicating that the Panama canal builder would accept the police commissionership of

New York city on two conditions—that he be retired from the army, in which he has served nearly thirty-four years, and that a law be passed depriving the courts of the power to review the dismissal by the commissioner of police officials. The mayor will seek to have the New York city charter amended to give the commissioner the power Colonel Goethals asks.

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

LETTER BY GEN. U. S. GRANT

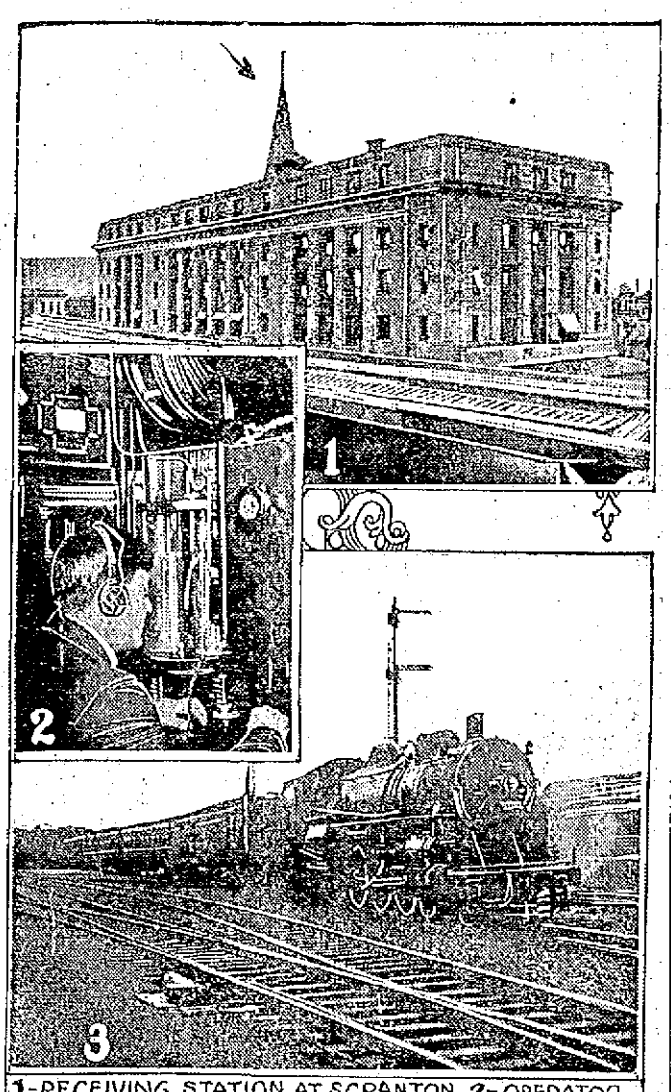
NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The letter written by General U. S. Grant to his father in which he announced his determination to enlist was sold here yesterday for $910.

CHINESE PAINTINGS

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—A collection of Chinese paintings which, according to Dr. John C. Ferguson includes more important examples of Chinese paintings than have ever before been brought together were put on view today in the Metropolitan Museum of Art. The pictures were acquired by the museum through Dr. Ferguson, who spent 27 years in China.

TRAINS EQUIPPED WITH WIRELESS

LATEST FEATURE IN RAILROADING



1-RECEIVING STATION AT SCRANTON. 2-OPERATOR ON TRAIN 3-TRAIN FROM WHICH FIRST MESSAGE WAS SENT

An eastern railroad, the Lackawanna, has installed a system of wireless telegraphy on various of its express trains, an innovation in land transportation that is expected to prove as successful commercially as it has practically. Important cities along the line have been equipped with receiving stations. The first message by wireless from a train was sent a few days ago. The pictures show the operator sending wireless dispatches from a train, the receiving station at Scranton, Pa., and the train from which the first message was flashed.

FOR CITY SEALERS

The civil service commission announces a competitive examination for the position of assistant sealer of weights and measures in this city, at a salary of $15 per week, which will be held on Feb. 12.

There is one vacancy. From the eligible list established by this examination, names will be certified to fill the position and similar vacancies as they may occur.

The examination will include the following subjects: Arithmetic, letter-writing, handwriting, a sworn statement of training and experience, and knowledge of laws governing inspection of weights and measures.

Only citizens of the United States who have been residents of Massachusetts for the past year, and of Lowell for the six months last past, have a right to apply. Successful applicants will be subjected to a physical examination.

Blank applications may be obtained by applying in person or by mail to the Civil Service commission, State House, Boston, or from James H. Carmichael, civil service representative in Lowell. Applications should be filled out at once.

FOR BED SORES

Mrs. Geo. Fields, a trained nurse of Canton, N. Y., says: "I use Comfort Powder for bed sores with great success. It is a 'skin healing wonder.' The genuine bears the signature of E. S. Sykes on the box.

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GREAT LIBERATOR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The United States of Colombia will do great honor to the memory of Alexander MacAuley next Saturday, the 100th anniversary of his death at the town of Popayan at the hands of the Spaniards. MacAuley had cast his lot with the native Colombians who were then in revolt against the parent state. His memory is cherished as a great liberator.

MATRIMONIAL

The marriage of Mr. Walter F. McGrath and Miss Sarah Keleher was performed at St. Michael's rectory yesterday by Rev. Francis Mullin. The couple were attended by Miss Agnes M. Finn and Mr. Leo J. Rollins, who acted as bridemaid and best man. After Feb. 1 the happy couple will be at home to their friends at 21 Coburn street.

MacKENZIE—WHITE

Mr. Harlan Roderick MacKenzie of Fitchburg and Miss Gladys Elizabeth White of Leominster were married yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Washburn in Pine street. The bride was attended by Miss Lucille Washburn of this city as maid of honor, and by Miss Ruth Munroe of Leominster as bridemaid, while the best man was Mr. Frank Drummond of Fitchburg. The officiating clergyman was Rev. J. B. Kettle of Leominster. Mr. and Mrs. MacKenzie after a brief honeyhoon trip will make their home at Fitchburg, where the bridgroom is secretary of the boys' work at the Y. M. C. A.

The public service commission of Boston, yesterday, notified Senator Edward Fisher, president of the board of trade of Westford, that there would not be any discontinuance of B. & M. trains on the Stony Brook branch between Ayer and Lowell, and Lowell and Salem. This statement was given to the public service commission by the railroad officials. When it became known that the railroad was planning to discontinue the early morning and noon trains a great big howl went up from this city as well as from Westford and other places. The matter was reported to the public service commission and a hearing was scheduled for Wednesday of this week, but was called off when it became known that the railroad had reconsidered the matter had decided to allow the schedule to remain unchanged.

The Middlesex street and Fletcher street grade crossing problem was discussed at a meeting of the executive committee of the Lowell board of trade yesterday. The matter is to be given a hearing by the special commission on Feb. 14. The highway, transportation and municipal affairs committee of the board of trade will be asked to take up the matter sitting as a joint committee with the executive committee.

FOR FROST BITES AND CHAPPED SKIN

For frost bitten ears, fingers and toes; chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold sores, red and rough skins, there is nothing to equal Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Stops the pain at once and heals quickly. In every home there should be a box handy all the time. Best remedy for all skin diseases, itching eczema, tetter, piles, etc. 25c. All druggists or by mail. H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.

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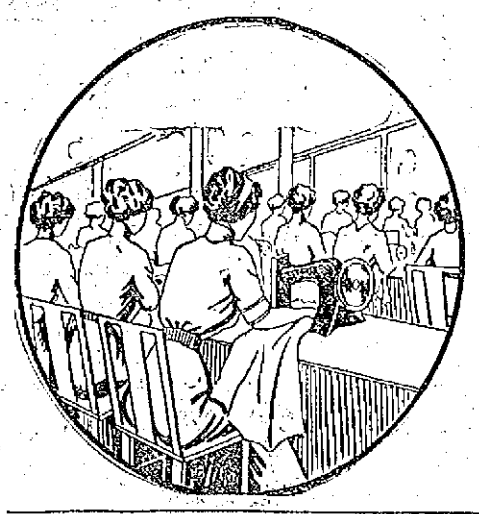

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.45	6.50	5.00	5.45
6.52	7.25	6.00	6.58
6.47	7.19	7.14	8.31
b6.40	7.55	7.60	8.85
6.57	8.00	b8.21	9.25
7.21	8.16	9.00	9.55
7.53	8.57	9.50	10.36
a7.56	8.48	11.06	11.43
8.55	9.37	12.30	1.08
a9.18	10.21	1.00	1.59
9.48	10.30	2.00	3.00
10.30	11.10	3.00	3.59
10.28	11.40	b3.44	4.09
11.36	12.15	4.00	4.58
12.19	1.05	a4.14	5.22
1.44	2.25	5.00	5.38
2.21	3.15	b5.51	6.26
3.25	4.10	5.57	6.38
4.27	6.24	b6.01	7.10
6.31	6.25	6.14	7.23
b6.12	7.17	8.00	8.55
6.41	7.35	8.55	9.05
7.41	8.25	10.55	11.34
9.06	10.40	11.45	12.36

Portland Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.45	7.56	a6.41	8.06
8.06	9.07	9.14	10.30
8.55	10.01	10.55	11.51
10.56	12.07	11.55	12.55
12.05	1.18	2.14	3.30
a1.27	2.52	3.30	4.40
3.46	4.47	5.14	6.11
6.15	6.24	6.05	7.05
7.25	8.57	7.00	8.15
9.58	11.18	9.52	11.09

Sunday Trains
Portland Division

8.50	9.25	8.00	9.10
12.10	1.18	12.30	1.06
5.60	6.05	3.45	4.48
6.45	7.06	5.30	6.35
8.64	10.04	8.45	9.44

Sunday Trains
Southern Division

6.47	7.83	8.45	9.47
7.31	8.26	9.30	10.05
8.06	9.04	11.08	11.43
8.48	9.49	1.00	1.59
9.06	9.53	5.83	6.21
10.52	11.12	8.05	8.53
2.43	3.25	8.30	9.06
6.30	5.00	9.70	10.15
5.49	7.80	10.14	10.55
7.41	8.25	10.99	11.55
8.55	10.40		

References:

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LOCAL NEWS

Best printing; Tobin's, Asso. bldg.

Dr. Constantineau, 233 Central st. Best dental work in city.

Interest begins Saturday, Feb. 7, at the Central Savings bank.

If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 466 Merrimack street.

J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

The piano tuners of Massachusetts held their first annual meeting in Boston at the Hotel Lenox last night and the attendance numbered over 100. An appetizing supper was discussed and at the close of the repast speeches were in order, the speaker of the evening being Owen A. Gilday of this city, who delivered a brilliant address on "What the Piano Tuner Means to the Piano."

Before a large attendance of members the recently elected officers of Pilgrim Encampment No. 1, I. O. O. F., were installed last evening by District Deputy Grand Patriarch Charles T. Schueler, and the following suite, all of Lawrence: Deputy Grand High Priest Alvah Locke, Deputy Grand Senior Warden George H. Bingham, Deputy Grand Recording Scribe John M. Shearer, Deputy Grand Financial Scribe John Wilton, Deputy Grand Treasurer George W. Thayer, Deputy Grand Sentinel Frank B. Kilborn, Deputy Grand Junior Warden George S. Wadsworth. The ceremonies were quite impressive, the Lawrence men being thoroughly trained in the ritualistic work.

Louis McCarty of Boston addressed the Men's club of the First Universalist church at the club's headquarters in the Harrington building last night. Mr. McCarty talked on Mexico and told a very interesting story of that country. The program for the evening included several selections by the club orchestra, which was heard for the first time since its recent organization, under the leadership for Eugene Dunbar. At the business meeting, following the entertainment, plans were discussed for the concert, Feb. 10, at which the Webster quartet, the Sixth Regiment band will be heard.

SPECIAL TODAY

Fresh Lamb Stew, regular 10c ....5c Lb.

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"Lex" Brand Steak Salmon, regular 13c can......8c Can

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RECEIVED BRIBE

Charge Against Joseph Cassidy on Trial in New York Today

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Joseph Cassidy, one time democratic leader of Queens county, was called for trial today charged with having received a bribe paid by Henry Willet, Jr., for nomination to the supreme court. Willet, convicted last week of having given the bribe, is now in jail waiting sentence. Lewis T. Walter, Jr., charged with being the go-between in the transaction, will be tried with Cassidy unless either of the two men demands separate trials.

The bribe, it is alleged, was paid prior to the election of 1911. A Brooklyn newspaper published the charges and Willet was defeated.

Stomach Troubles Due to Acidity

So Says Eminent Specialist

So-called stomach troubles, such as indigestion, wind, stomach-ache and inability to retain food, are in probably nine cases out of ten simply evidence that fermentation is taking place in the food contents of the stomach, causing the formation of gas and acids. Wind distends the stomach, and causes that full, oppressive feeling sometimes known as heartburn, while the acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach. The trouble lies entirely in the fermenting food. Such fermentation is unnatural, and acid formation is not only unnatural but may involve most serious consequences if not corrected. To stop or prevent fermentation of the food contents of the stomach and to neutralize the acid, and render it bland and harmless, a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia, probably the best and most effective corrector of acid stomach known, should be taken in a quarter of a glass of hot or cold water immediately after eating, or whenever wind or acidity is felt. This stops the fermentation, and neutralizes the acidity in a few moments. Fermentation, wind an dacidity are dangerous and unnecessary. Stop or prevent them by the use of a proper antacid, such as bisurated magnesia, which can be obtained from any druggist and thus enable the stomach to do its work properly without being hindered by poisonous gas and dangerous acids.—M. F. P.

EMPEROR WILLIAM'S BIRTHDAY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Official society of Washington will attend a reception to be given at the Germany embassy here tonight by Ambassador Count Von Bernstorff in honor of the 55th anniversary of the birth of Emperor William.

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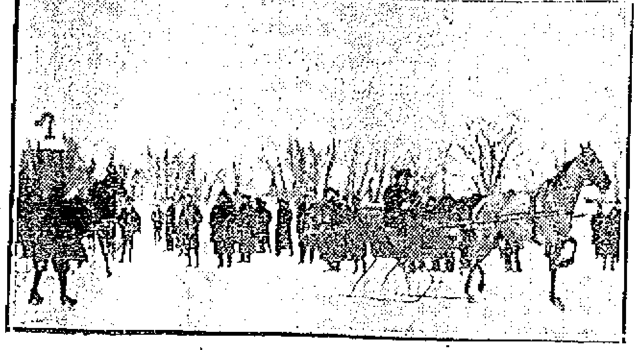

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GEORGE PARKER'S "FRED S."
Winner of Third Race.

"Fred S" Wins Hotly Contested Race—Lowell Horses May Race at Dover, N. H.

The horse races on the Merrimack river yesterday afternoon developed some very spirited and very interesting contests. The weather was a little bit off color but that didn't signify where horsemen's enthusiasm was running high. There was a good crowd present to witness the races and while the steppers were not caught with the watch it was generally conceded that some unusually fast sports were shown. The races were under the direction of the Lowell Driving club. Arnold J. Ryan and Charles Barney were the judges and Richard Murphy acted as starter.

Three races were held, the most interesting contest being between M. F. Seneeal's "Counter Beater," and Kemp and Gendron's "John W." The race went to "Counter Beater."

All eyes were turned on Dick Murphy's promising two-year-old, "Baden, Jr." He is some colt and if the opinion of men who know the game amounts to anything, Dick has the makings of a great racer. A special race between the colt and Frank Dimodana's "Cock Robin" went to the colt in two straight heats.

There was a corking good race in which three good ones, "Fred S." "Cracker Boy" and "Cabel" participated. "Cabel" is the property of Dr. Lewis of Nashua, "Cracker Boy" puts up at Frank Orcutt's stable, and "Fred S." looks to George Parker for bed and board. Five heats were necessary to determine the winner and the race went to Fred S. Summary of races:

FIRST RACE

Baden, owned by Richard Murphy 1 1
Cock Robin, owned by F. Dimodana 2 2

SECOND RACE

Counter Beater, owned by M. F. Seneeal 1 2 1
John W., owned by Kemp and Gendron 2 1 2

THIRD RACE

Fred S., owned by George Parker 2 2 1 1 1
Cracker Boy, owned by F. Orcutt 1 1 2 2 3
Cabel, owned by Dr. Lewis of Nashua 3 3 2 3 2

If the weather holds good there will be another meet on the river Saturday afternoon for which an attractive program will be prepared.

May Cross the Line

The Lowell Driving club received an invitation, yesterday, from the Granite State Driving club to attend and participate in a series of races to be held at Dover, Feb. 3. The Dover club agrees to pay all transportation expenses, which means expenses for both owners and their steeds. Without a doubt, the Lowell club will accept the invitation, and a representative list of entries will go forward at an early time.

DANCING PARTY

A select dancing party in aid of St. Columba's parish reunion, will be held at the Pawtucket boat house, tomorrow evening. The affair is in charge of Mrs. Martin H. Reidy, with Mr. Joseph P. Quinn as floor director.

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

POLITICAL GRAFT

Special Grand Jury Investigation Was Resumed Today

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The special grand jury investigating alleged political graft resumed its hearings today. James C. Shaw, said to have been a go-between in money transactions, was the principal witness called.

With the aid of other witnesses, District Attorney Charles S. Whitman it was said, hoped to refresh Shaw's memory on various points, among others the name of the man to whom he acknowledged giving a package containing $41,250 in bills.

The movement in Albany to give Mr. Whitman state-wide power to hunt for grafters is interesting Mr. Whitman. The first steps to that end were taken in the assembly last night when a resolution was introduced that Mr. Whitman or one of his assistants be made counsel to any committee appointed by the assembly to investigate the highway department of the state. In that case Mr. Whitman will acquire powers equal to those of a special deputy attorney-general and will be as thoroughly equipped to indict and prosecute grafting officials all over the state as former Governor Hughes was in the insurance investigation.

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

SCHOOL DESTROYED

One of the Largest and Best Equipped Schools in New Haven Burned This Morning

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 27—Strong school, one of the largest and best equipped of the city's grammar schools was burned early this morning. A part of the building was used for a branch of the public library.

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FREIGHT RATES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Specific objections of ice dealers to the granting of a general five per cent. freight rate advance to the railroads in eastern classification territory were laid before the interstate commerce committee today when shippers' hearings on the application of the transportation companies were resumed.

JURISDICTION OVER DIVORCES

BANGOR, Me., Jan. 27.—The courts of this state have jurisdiction in divorce proceedings when the libellan has resided within the state in good faith for one year prior to the commencement of the proceedings and the marital domicile need not be in Maine, according to a rescript given today by Associate Justice Warren C. Philbrook of the supreme court.

The decision was in the case of Jas. W. H. Walker of Brownfield, formerly of Washington, D. C., which went to the law term on the question of jurisdiction raised by the libellee who claimed that unless the cause of divorce occurred while the marital domicile was in Maine the court has no jurisdiction.

COMMON SENSE ABOUT COLDS

It is Easier to Prevent a Cold Than to Cure It

NO. 4

Probably nine out of every ten colds could be prevented by a little care and forethought.

There is really no occasion for anybody to suffer from what we call "a cold"—

Plenty of fresh air and enough exercise to keep the blood in free circulation and the cold germs would never have a chance to gain a foothold in the system.

But most of us do not get enough of either fresh air or exercise.

We live and work in poorly ventilated, over-heated houses and offices.

We dress too warmly.

We lose the power of resistance—and the invading army of microbes find us an easy mark.

The first unusual exposure to colds and dampness starts the shivers.

We begin to sneeze and cough.

These are the warning symptoms.

It is too late to prevent the cold—

But we can prevent its serious effects—

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AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 27.—The feature of the morning session today in the trial of Francis A. Vannah, charged with the alleged murder of Edward E. Hardy by shooting, was the testimony of Allen E. Rackliff, a member of the National soldiers home at Togus. He was well acquainted with the respondent as they entered the home at the same time.

Just before the alleged murder the witness and Vannah went to the latter's camp near the home. "After entering the camp," said the witness, "Vannah opened a box with a key and said to me: 'Someone has stolen my rum.' Later Vannah told me he thought they (the Hardys) had taken his liquor. Vannah said: 'If I knew they had stolen my rum I would shoot them like snakes.'"

Mrs. Emma Turk testified she was employed in the dining room at the national home and one of her duties was to make a record of the soldiers who came to their meals. She was on duty at the home on the night of March 20, the date of the shooting and her memorandum, made at the time, showed Vannah was absent from his supper on the night of the shooting.

William R. Corbett, an Augusta policeman testified to making the arrest of Vannah at the home on the night of the alleged crime, and finding in his possession a pair of rubber boots which he said were spotted with blood.

LIFER PARDONED

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 27—John Ruddy, who has spent the last 28 years of his life in the state prison here, passed out of the gates a free man today, the board of pardons having acted favorably upon the petition for his release.

Ruddy in a fit of anger killed his father in Lancaster, where he lived with his wife and two sons. He was sentenced to life imprisonment. He was 20 years old then; today he is 55. His wife long ago divorced him and married again, and the two sons have gone elsewhere to live.

Ruddy's release was brought about through the efforts of Dr. Ruddy, his uncle and brother of the slain man. With the exception of the doctor he has not a friend, he said, and it is his intention to go where he is not known and start life anew.

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SEVEN DROWNED

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 27.—With seven persons drowned, all form of overland transportation either tied up or handicapped seriously, six trainloads of passengers marooned and this section of the state damaged to the extent of more than a million dollars as a result of the unprecedented storm which has been raging since Saturday, prospect of relief brightened with the appearance of the sun today.

The rainfall for the 24 hours ending at midnight was 2.96 inches, making the total for the season 14.32 inches.

At Santa Barbara, where the greatest damage was done a heavy rain was falling this morning.

Tonight, Y.M.C.I., basketball & dance.

THE PLUMBERS COUNCIL

WANT JOURNEYMEN PLUMBERS WHO DO GAS FITTING TO PASS SPECIAL EXAMINATION

The semi-annual convention of the State Plumbers' council was held Sunday afternoon in Central Labor union hall, Springfield, with nearly every city in the state represented by members. The work of the state board of conciliation and arbitration in averting and settling labor disputes during the past year was commended and resolutions urging the enactment of a state law to provide for special examinations for plumbers who do gas fitting were adopted. Communications will be sent to unions all over the state asking them to affiliate with the state branch of American Federation of Labor. If this law is passed only plumbers who have licenses will be allowed to do gas fitting and in order to secure a license a rigid examination must be passed.

KNABE SIGNS THREE MEN

BALTIMORE, Jan. 27.—Manager Otto Knabe of the Baltimore Federal league baseball club upon his return today from a long western trip, said he had signed three new players while away. He refused to give their names but said that two of them were major league men and the third played with a minor league team last year but belonged to a big league club.

Henri Amedee Archambault, son of Undertaker Amedee Archambault, has received his diploma from the New England Institute of Anatomy and Embalming of Boston.

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The hand of Time touches lightly the skin of women who avoid greasy, pore-clogging creams and use some reliable lotion instead. An ideal lotion for the face, neck and arms can be prepared at little cost by dissolving an original package of mayatone in one-half pint witch hazel. The use of the mayatone lotion will clear and make soft a "muddy," blotchy, rough skin. It is fine for pimples and blackheads and to restore the glow of youth to the rough, faded skin.

CITY OFFERED LAND IN PAWTUCKETVILLE

Through Ellen E. Dexter Paid for by Opponents of Pillsbury Site—Commissioner Brown Says the Sewerage Would Cost $500,000

At a meeting of the municipal council held this forenoon there was offered, through Commissioner Carmichael, a piece of land, containing less than five acres, as a site for a contagious hospital. The land is situated in the rear of the Lowell General hospital and is known as the Ward land. The council did not take any action in the matter except to receive the communications and place them on file. Commissioner Brown advised the council to go very slow in the matter suggesting that it was being engineered by persons opposed to the purchase of the Dr. Pillsbury estate and that the council was probably being led into a trap. He was told, he said, that persons opposed to the erection of a hospital on the Pillsbury site had paid $720 for the Ward land to present it to the city. He spoke about the ledge that the city would have to contend with and that while the city might get the land for nothing the cost of excavation, sewers, etc., would probably bring the total up to half a million dollars. The council will view the land at a later date and the matter will probably come up again at a meeting to be held next Saturday afternoon.

The Trades & Labor council addressed a letter to the municipal council that was decidedly out of the ordinary and Mayor Murphy expressed his pleasure before reading it. The letter stated that the Trades & Labor council would not ask for any money for Labor day this year because of the city's financial condition. The usual appropriation for Labor day is $1000.

A motion offered by Commissioner Brown to the effect that the state commissioner of taxes be invited to come to Lowell for the purpose of examining the work of the local assessors was unanimously adopted.

Mayor Calls to Order

Mayor Murphy called to order at 11.20 with all members present.

The first business before the council had to do with the petition of the Merrimack Mfg. Co., for the storage of gasoline and it was referred to the commissioners of streets and highways and public property and licenses and chief of the fire department.

The mayor read the petition of the N. E. T. & T. Co., for pole locations on the westerly side of Newhall street and the matter was open for a hearing. There were no remonstrants and the petition was referred.

Another petition by the same company was for two pole locations in Burn st. Mr. O'Connell, Mrs. Lannon and Mrs. McGreevey appeared as remonstrants and on petition of Commissioner Donnelly the petitioners were given leave to withdraw.

The application of Henry E. Mills to be appointed as surveyor of lumber was read and on motion of Commissioner Donnelly the request was granted.

John J. Cox submitted a bill for personal injury and it was properly referred.

Another claim was by one Mr. Bachelor for injury to an automobile and it too was referred.

Asks to be Pensioned

The mayor read the request of Thos. Howarth for retirement on the pension list. Mr. Howarth has been in the employ of the city, in the street department, for a great many years. He is a veteran and 75 years old. The matter was referred.

Numerous minor petitions for wire attachments, etc., were referred.

Fox's Pension Decreased

Mayor Murphy referred to the pension of Police Officer John W. Fox. He said the amount fixed last year by the council was illegal as it exceeded the lawful amount and on the mayor's suggestion Commissioner Brown moved that the amount be fixed at $2.70 a day. Mr. Murphy said he thought it advisable to take this action lest the action of the former council might invalidate Mr. Fox's pension. It was voted to place the officer's pension at $2.70 a day. Mr. Fox is now receiving $2.75 a day.

Investigate the Assessors

At this point Com. Brown presented the following motion:

For the purpose of needed improvements in the office of the board of assessors and for the purpose of raising the standard of public service in that office, I move that this council hereby extend to the commissioner of taxation of the commonwealth of Massachusetts an invitation to make a thorough examination of the office of the board of assessors, of the city of Lowell and to make such suggestions and recommendations as he believes necessary to bring about a more just and equitable valuation of property; both real and personal, and the board of assessors, of the city of Lowell, is hereby requested to extend to said commissioner of taxation an invitation of a character similar to this and are requested and instructed to give said commissioner of taxation, in said examination, all assistance and information within their power. Said commissioner is requested to employ in such examination any help or assistance deemed necessary by him, the expense thereof to be borne by the city of Lowell, if no provision of law exists for its payment otherwise.

Supports His Motion

In support of his motion Com. Brown spoke as follows:

There is a very widespread public opinion, shared in by some members of this body, that one of the chief causes of our financial difficulties is to be found in the manner of assessment of property as carried on by the board of assessors.

For many years the members of this board, for the purpose of retaining their positions, felt justified in seeking the favor of those who might be in position to help or injure them and without doubt many inequalities of assessment and other abuses crept into the office and their eradication is a matter that should interest all who believe in an equitable assessment and a fair and just rate of taxation.

It is a matter of very common knowledge that the residential property of the city, more particularly the residential property of medium value, is carrying more than a fair proportion of the burden of government as is conclusively proven by the fact that the sale of property of their character frequently brings prices considerably below the assessed value.

As against this the business property of the city is grossly undervalued by the assessing board and all of the most valuable of such property is closely held by owners who refuse to put it on the market at any price.

From observation and some information I firmly believe that the greater part of valuable, personal property of the investment class, in this city, is absolutely undiscovered by the assessors and remains entirely untaxed.

The law is adequate and gives the assessors ample power to reach and assess such property. It does not meet the situation for the high salaried officials of the board to say they are doing the best within their power if the filing of sworn returns is an event of such occurrence in the assessors' office as to cause comment.

Any person reasonably believed to be the owner of valuable, personal property should either pay a tax on that which he admits he owns (for all purposes other than taxation) or he should be so treated by the assessors under the powers conferred upon them by statute that he will reveal fairly and fully all that he is blessed with in assessable property.

I am aware that my attitude in this matter is displeasing to that class of citizens who go to any lengths to defraud the city from its just dues in taxes (the only real source of municipal revenue) and who preach municipal betterment at the expense of labor and at the cost of needed improvements.

I called attention to these matters in my inaugural as mayor. My attitude in January 1912 when agitation of this character was begun was in favor of full and complete light in the assessors' office and the improvement of conditions therein. I repeated my belief in these matters in a statement read by me when this government came into office.

In the assessors' office there should and must be ability, industry and above all a courage that knows no brother and that overcomes everything that stands in the way of honest and just taxation.

Brown is Complimented

Col. Carmichael said he was very glad to second Mr. Brown's motion, because, he said, he believes that a man owning property should pay taxes upon it.

"I commend Alderman Brown for presenting this matter. I think it is one of the best things done this year," said Mr. Carmichael.

The motion was adopted unanimously.

Land for Hospital

"This morning," said Col. Carmichael, "I am called upon to perform a very pleasant duty. The letters and the deeds will tell the story better than I can tell." Mr. Carmichael then read, as follows:

January 24, 1914.

To the Municipal Council of the City of Lowell.

Having acquired an option on the four and 967-1000 acres of land owned by Adelaide Ward and located next westerly of the land of the Lowell General hospital, near where the tuberculosis camp is situated, I hereby offer to deed and convey said land to the city of Lowell, free of charge and expense to the city if the city will accept the same, for the purpose of establishing an isolation hospital thereon, pursuant to the provisions of statutes of 1911, chapter 514 and acts in amendment thereof, and on the condition that the city shall, within one year, begin the construction upon said land of said isolation hospital, and shall construct and thereafter maintain such isolation hospital upon said premises.

Yours truly,
Ellen E. Dexter.

The commissioner then read the deeds and conveyances of the property in the following sequence: From George M. Ward to Adelaide Ward; from Adelaide Ward to Ellen E. Dexter and from Ellen E. Dexter to the city.

Commissioner Carmichael said he did not want the council to take any action in the matter until the council had given it due consideration.

Besides the amount of land included in the gift offered by Mrs. Dexter, Mr. Carmichael said there are between seven and eight acres of land adjoining the land described in the deeds that can be purchased for $1000.

Brown Says be Careful

"I am very much pleased," said Com. Brown, "that the council took no other action than to receive the letters and deeds and place them on file for it behooves the council to go very slow in this matter. It may be that the people behind this gift are determined to block the purchase of the Pillsbury estate at any cost and we don't know what sort of trap we may be led into. I was told today that people opposed to the erection of an isolation hospital on the Pillsbury estate had paid $720 for the land that is being offered the city here today.

"There is no getting away from the fact that a great expense would attach to the erection of a hospital on that site because it is solid ledge, or at least I have been given to understand so. It would be necessary to build a long stretch of sewer and what would come to us seemingly as a gift might cost half a million dollars in the end. We had our experience with ledge in the building of the comfort station and we know what a dear job it is. Then comes the question of a right away across the land of the Lowell General hospital and I presume that might mean court proceedings. Let us in-

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Clark's orch., Y. M. C. I., tonight.

THREE CHILDREN KILLED

AS THE RESULT OF EATING RAT POISON WHILE PARENTS WERE AWAY

HALEYVILLE, Ala., Jan. 27.—Three small children of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Rowland here are dead today, as the result of eating rat poison while their parents were away from home visiting.

RUBBER PLATING FOR WARSHIPS

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Rubber plating for battleships is being experimented with by the British admiralty according to the Globe. The process consists of sandwiching sheets of rubber between layers of toughened steel. The inventors claim that a wall of rubber will have the same effect on cannon shells as sandbags have on rifle bullets.

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FOR LATER LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC NEWS AND TODAY'S STOCK MARKET REPORT SEE NEXT EDITION

3-YEAR-OLD BOY SERIOUSLY BURNED

Was Playing With Coals From Stove at Home in Dutton St., When Clothing Caught Fire—Expected to Recover

While playing in the kitchen of his home, 9 Dutton street, this forenoon, a three-year-old boy named Edward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welch, was badly burned about the body by hot coals which were pulled from a stove.

According to the story told by neighbors the youngster and several companions were amusing themselves near a large stove and while the mother left the room to do her work the stove was opened and several pieces of coal taken out. In some way the child's clothing caught fire and before the blaze could be extinguished one side of his body was seriously burned.

The ambulance was called and he was rushed to the Lowell hospital, where it was stated he would probably recover.

CARPENTERS - PAINTERS

Make Demands of Commissioner Donnelly to Which He Agrees So Far as Practicable

Commissioner James E. Donnelly has received communications from the carpenters and painters' unions to which he has made a reply, the letters and answers being here appended.

The carpenters ask that the men of their craft in the employ of the Lands and Buildings department be put on the 44 hour a week basis, at 45 cents an hour.

The painters ask that the sub-contract for the painting of the Greenhalge school addition be given to a

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FITZSIMMONS TOO OLD

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The supreme court today denied the application of Robert Fitzsimmons, one time heavyweight ring champion of the world, for an injunction restraining the New York Athletic commission from refusing to sanction his participation in boxing exhibitions in this state. The commission held that Fitzsimmons at 51 years is too old to re-enter the ring.

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FAULKNER MILLS

At North Billerica Have Closed Down—Lack of Orders the Cause

The Faulkner Manufacturing Co. makers of woolen goods, a firm that has been doing business for over 30 years with a force of nearly 200 employes, has practically suspended all operations for an indefinite period as only a few employes of the finishing room are working at present and it is expected that these will be laid off within a few days. It is stated that lack of sufficient orders is the reason for closing and when business picks up work will probably be resumed.

The Faulkner Manufacturing company's plant is located at North Billerica and until recently has been one of the busiest woolen mills in this section of the country. For the past few months only a part of the employes have been working the 54 hours a week and now only a few men are engaged selling or shipping the small amount of cloth that is on hand.

The cloth manufactured has been of the best quality and the mill was reputed as one of the most reliable in or around Lowell. The plant provided employment for both men and women, a large number of whom live in this city.

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

MERRIMACK SQUARE

Possibly it was as a tribute to the best loved of all thesplans and dramatists that (a) their farewell offering the Merrimack Square theatre players presented "The Merchant of Venice." Whether or not this touch of sentiment actuated their reproducing the piece, they are playing it, and playing it well.

A packed house heard Edouard D'Oize give his conception of the emotions harassing Shylock's mind, and listened to Grace Young delineate all the graces and perfections with which Shakespeare invested his immortal Portia.

Portia, naturally, is the most attractive character in "The Merchant of Venice;" indeed when contrasted with those of Hermione, Imogen or Desdemona she may be said to be the most exquisitely drawn and most lovable of all Shakespeare's feminine characters. And, speaking of the dramatists' portrayal of these characters it is interesting to note the light in which the most profound thinker of all time held women. While he never evinced any leanings toward sex equality—in fact throughout his plays he never fails to disseminate the thought that, so to speak, the male of the species is higher than the female,—nevertheless, in Portia he painted a woman who could outwit one of the slipperiest and craftiest of men, a money lender. Added to this brilliancy of mind, Portia was endowed with bewitching grace and beauty. With these natural gifts, with abundant wealth and, so with many suitors, it is singular that the fair lady should bestow her heart, hand and wealth on such a shiftless, happy-go-lucky gentleman as Bassanio. However, she does, and though more versatile in every way than her husband-to-be she never dreams of omitting the word "obey" in the marriage ceremony. Such was Shakespeare's ideal woman.

Shylock, Portia's opponent in the court scene, is one of the most bloodthirsty wretches ever conceived in a dramatist's brain. His countrymen of this generation can hardly be censured for the protests which they are raising against the accepted portrayal of this character. They declare and reasonably, that Shakespeare painted the money lender in the most odious light with no nobler intention than to stir up the race prejudice of the galleries of his day. For 400 years the old Jewish usurer has typified all that is sordid, malignant and hateful; and even now it is not likely that these unenviable qualities will be softened by a more broad-minded generation.

Antonio has always seemed too gentle and unselfish a character for one ever to meet along the street. He overflows with charity and fortitude and indeed with about every virtue which Christianity has striven to inculcate in erring men and women. He is so good that he verges on being uninteresting —which would prove a cardinal offense were he alive now—yet the tragedy which casts its sombre shadow over his tranquil life serves to throw a cloak over his character which is stamped "interesting."

As the adage goes, "All the world loves a lover," so, since the creation of the characters of Jessica and Lorenzo, the audiences of succeeding generations have watched their elopement with suppressed breathing and have rejoiced in their ultimate happiness as if the twain loved one another in our own day and were mutual friends of ours. In Lorenzo's wooing of Jessica one cannot help but smile, too, when one realizes that love scenes never change and that lovers, whether of the sixteenth or of the twentieth centuries, are influenced by the same elements as was Lorenzo when he murmured:

"How sweet the moonlight sleeps upon this bank;
"Here we will sit and let the sounds of music
"Creep in our ears: Soft stillness and the night
"Become the touches of sweet harmony."

OPERA HOUSE

Neil O'Brien, who for years had been the chief asset with the Lew Dockstader show, was launched last year as a star, and extremely pleasant recollections still linger of the splendid performance he and his associates presented. It was clean, wholesome, lively, entertainment and gave full measure of enjoyment to minstrel lovers everywhere. It will, therefore, be good news to theatregoers to learn that Mr. O'Brien is now on his second annual tour and will appear at the Lowell Opera House next Friday, matinee and night, with a complete new equipment of scenic surprises, new wardrobe, new songs, jokes, special features and almost an entirely new company. This follows out the announced policy as promised by Mr. O'Brien and his manager, Oscar F. Hodge, to present each year an entirely new show from first part to the final curtain. This plan has been faithfully carried out this season. All the elaborate and magnificent settings, comprising a complete and beautiful production, are fresh from the scene frame. The artist has been allowed unusual latitude and has excelled with a "first part" of exquisite beauty. The color scheme is in white and gold, the scene representing a fanciful and artistic idea. There are five other full stage settings, all on a scale of elaborate detail.

The company is mostly new, and selected with that same critical care evidenced by Mr. O'Brien last season. Most interesting among the new engagements for this season is that of the international favorite, Eddie Ross, whose work as a monologist has been received with as much favor abroad as in his native land. Mr. Ross has only recently concluded a six months' season at the principal London music halls where his success was more remarkable than any other American performer who has appeared there in recent years.

KEITH'S THEATRE

Keith's theatre was packed to the doors last night and the audience was very appreciative, if one is to judge by the frequent applause given the talent of this popular house. Of course there was a reason, for the bill was one of the best presented at a local vaudeville theatre for a long time. The bill is of high standard and consists of numbers that are sure to please all patrons of this amusement house.

The headliner on the program is without doubt "Little Billy," who is booked as "vaudeville's cleverest lilliputian," and there certainly was no mistake in the booking, for "Billy" is about the cleverest little chap who ever appeared before the footlights. His act consists of singing, dancing and recitation and all number are cleverly handled. Although but about two feet and a half in height, the little fellow is an old-timer in the theatrical business, and an old favorite in Lowell, but his act has been sifted to such a degree that it is hardly recognizable. At last night's performance "Little Billy" simply added another feather to his cap.

Next in line come Dugan & Raymond, two elite entertainers, who specialize in humorous sayings and songs. The male member of the pair is exceptionally clever in handling comedy and for a big half-hour he keeps his audience in a happy mood. He is a sure cure for grouch and his female partner renders him great assistance.

Ward & Curran, who count friends in this city by the hundred, are again seen and heard to advantage in their inimitable sketch, "The Terrible Judge." Mr. Ward as the judge has one of the most original make-ups ever seen on a local stage, while his pal is a sort of a lightning change artist. This pair excel in comedy that is comedy and the sketch is very interesting as well as amusing. Curran is the proud possessor of a fine tenor voice and he knows how to handle it, especially in his Irish songs. The act closes with a duet that is very pleasing.

"The Grouch," a one-act comedy, is one of the chief attractions this week. It is being presented by Joro Grady, Frankie Carpenter & Co. This sketch is from the pen of Jimmie Barry and has to do with a grasping, country land agent, who sells lots in the Atlantic ocean. By the simple method of putting on and off a straw hat he manages to convince people that he is two distinct persons, and in this manner he is able to get out of many tight corners. The incidents connected with the playlet are very amusing.

Alice Flood and Josephine Erna give a fine exhibition of juggling and other circus feats and their act is very good. Jimmie Lucas is a conversationalist of high standard and he is also a clever singer, dealing mostly with parodies on the popular songs. He was given several encores at yesterday's performances.

The Pathe Weekly film holds a long list of very interesting and highly instructive pictures.

THE OWL THEATRE

"Unto the Third and Fourth Generation" is the title of the feature picture at the Owl theatre, and last night it was well received. Another feature which was well commented upon is "The Unseen Terror," a Kalem two-reel offering, which tells a very dramatic story. Four other good pictures completed a two-hour program which delighted everyone.

A great special feature which should please theatre-goers will be "The Third Degree." This great drama of Charles Klein will be shown here for the first time, and the announcement has everybody talking. The interest centered on this play during its whole season's run at the Hudson theatre in New York city was sufficient recommendation to transfer its dramatic powers to the films, and the Lubin company showed its progressiveness in getting together one of the best film companies on record, and producing this great drama in five unpadded reels, and announcing a number of well-known dramas to be released in the near future.

The wealth of scenery which can be obtained by photography is a great factor in the success of such plays, and the climaxes cannot be described. They should be seen to note the difference between stage and photography. The description of the inside workings of a metropolitan police department is the well-known plot of this great attraction, and it holds its audience in eager suspense from start to finish. The plot is entirely different from the vaudeville sketch of the same name.

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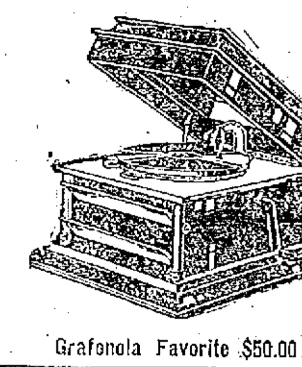

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GUNMEN BREAK DOWN

"LEFTY LOUIE," "GYP THE BLOOD," "WHITEY" AND "DAGO FRANK" DISAPPOINTED OVER DELAY

OSSINING, N. Y., Jan. 27.—According to their guards at Sing Sing prison, "Lefty Louie" Rosenberg, "Whitey" Lewis, "Gyp the Blood" and "Dago Frank," the four gunmen convicted with former police Lieutenant Charles Becker of the murder of Herman Rosenthal, have broken down under the strain of waiting for the decision on their appeal which they expect within a few days. Whenever the door of the death house opens they spring up from their cots, expecting that a man has come with the announcement. Disappointed, they throw themselves back and rail at the guards. Becker on the other hand is bearing up well under the ordeal.

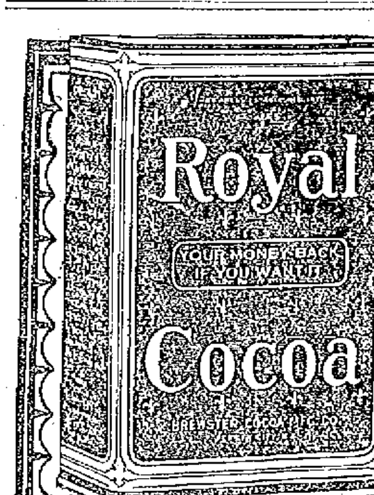
LOWELL MAN CHOSEN

At a meeting of the real estate auctioneers from cities and towns throughout the state held in the headquarters of the Massachusetts real estate exchange yesterday afternoon, C. F. Noyes of this city was chosen to serve on a committee to consider the establishment of a real estate auction sale service in the city of Boston. The committee will go over the entire situation and report at a meeting to be held shortly. The other members of the committee are: Lewis J. Buck of Boston, Harry C. Byrne of Roxbury, J. J. Conroy of Boston and ex-Mayor William H. White of Lawrence.

THE BON MARCHE

Results of the Clerks' Competitive Sale and Prizes Awarded

The five clerks who won prizes on their per cent gain over their own sales of a year ago for the same period were as follows: Ruth Anderson of the ribbon department, first prize, with a gain of 180%. Sarah Bambrick of the kitchen department second prize, with a gain of 157%. Lulu LaVigne of the ribbon department, third prize, with a gain of 107%. Minnie Sullivan of the handkerchief department fourth prize, with a gain of 103.1%. Margaret McCarter of the kitchen department, fifth prize, with a gain of 102.9%. The five clerks who received honorable mention and their per cent gain, were Mary Taylor of the suit department with a gain of 100%; Catherine Fitzpatrick of the knit underwear department with a gain of 65%; Frederick Dubois of the dress goods department with a gain of 61%; Molly Rogers of the handkerchief department with a gain of 59% and Eva Suprenant of the shirtwaist department with a gain of 58%. The departments that won the banquet soon to be given at D. L. Page's and their per cent gain are as follows: Ribbon department, with a gain of 122.28%; book department, with a gain of 97.14%; dress goods department with a gain of 58.60%; notion department with a gain of 53.23% and handkerchief department with a gain of 16.64%. The departments that received honorable mention and their per cent gain are as follows: Toilet goods department with a gain of 46.72%; knit underwear department with a gain of 43.71%; women's suit department with a gain of 24.68%; kitchen furnishing department with a gain of 22.85% and corset department with a gain of 21.30%.



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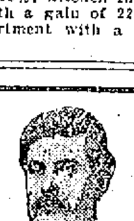

Dr. Thomas Jefferson King

Moves to New Location, 158 Merrimack Street.

One year ago Dr. King was obliged to vacate his offices on Merrimack street and at that time the only available offices to be had were on Central street, where Dr. King has been located for the past year, but now the opportunity to secure a new and ideal location at 158 Merrimack street has presented itself. Here at last everything is complete. Ideal location, centrally located, light, clean and modern. Dr. King has fitted up these new offices with every known appliance for the practice of Painless Dentistry and takes pride in offering the people of Lowell the finest and most modern dental office in this section.

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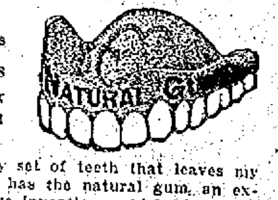

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SISTER MASS OF FLAMES

Invalid Leaps From Bed to Aid Her—Miss Fannie Crane Will Die of Injuries—Man Overcome

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—One woman was so badly burned that she is dying at the city hospital, another was slightly burned about the hands and face and a man who rushed to their assistance was taken from the burning room by firemen, partially overcome by smoke, during a fire which started in the kitchen of the tenement on the third floor of the house at 86 East Canton street early last evening.

The woman at the hospital is Miss Fannie Crane, aged 65, and single. Her sister, Miss Susan Crane, also single and about the same age, who has been an invalid for a year, was burned when she left her bed to go to the assistance of her companion. Cornelius Shea, who lives on the floor below, was the man overcome by the smoke.

The two women, who have lived in the South End all their lives and who have occupied the apartment on East Canton street for more than 20 years, lived alone. The elder, Miss Fannie Crane, for the past year has cared for her sister.

Nobody in the house could tell last night how the fire started, but it is believed that the dying woman was attempting to light a lamp in the kitchen, when it exploded, setting fire to her clothing and the furniture.

Miss Susan was in her room asleep when she heard the screams of her sister, whose peril seemed to give her a strange strength, for she arose and made her way to the kitchen, being stopped at the door by her sister, who, shrouded in flames, was trying to get out of the room.

With her bare hands the sick woman was trying to beat out the fire when Shea, who heard the screams, dashed into the apartments.

Grabbing a big piece of cloth, Shea pushed Miss Susan aside, and starting at her sister's head, wound the cloth about her, smothering the flames. He then carried her from the room to the hall.

In the meantime, neighbors seeing the smoke pouring through the windows, sounded an alarm from box 77, at the corner of East Dedham and Albany streets. When the firemen arrived they found the burned woman in the hallway, with her sister leaning over her in tears. In the apartment Shea was at work trying to extinguish the fire.

As the firemen entered, Shea dropped, overcome by smoke, and was carried out to the street. Members of the crew of Ladder 3, under the direction of Capt. Coulter, carried the burned woman to the street and applied first aid treatment.

The patrol wagon from the East Dedham street station was called and the woman was removed to the city hospital, where the doctors said she could not recover. The building is owned by the Boston Corporation company and the damage was placed by the police at $50.

EIGHT PERISH IN STORM

Pacific Coast Emerging From Grip of Storm That Swept the Entire Region

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—The Pacific coast was emerging today from the grip of a storm that has drenched the entire region from the Canadian to the Mexican line. Latest reports place the storm's death toll at eight. High water has caused much damage to property, particularly in south California, and railroad service in this state and Nevada has been badly crippled. Traffic conditions are expected to improve in the next 24 hours, however.

The rainfall yesterday in the southern part of the state was tremendous. At Pasadena the total for 24 hours amounted to nearly five inches.

The Sacramento river climbed almost to 28 feet, the highest since 1909.

Washouts have disrupted train service in various parts of the state. Through service between San Francisco and Los Angeles has been impossible for 48 hours. Heavy snow falls and washouts have tied up traffic in various parts of Nevada. A Southern Pacific train is stalled between Wabuska and Hazen. Several miles of track were swept away by high water on the Nevada, California and Oregon road and tieups on the Virginia and Truckee line have cut off Virginia City. Rotary snowploughs have cleared the Southern Pacific Ogden line tracks in the high Sierras and snowbound trains were released.

In Oregon and Washington considerable damage has been caused by heavy winds.

SUPT. THOMPSON RESIGNS

From the Head of the Saco-Lowell Shops in This City—The Taylor System Involved

Albert W. Thompson, who for the past two years has been superintendent of the local plants of the Saco-Lowell shops, the "Big Shop" and the Kilson Machine Co. has tendered his resignation and his successor, E. E. Blake of Biddeford, Me., is expected to take up his new duties tomorrow morning.

Mr. Thompson is a Lowell man, but previous to his coming as the head of the "Big Shop" he was connected for years with Amoskeag Mfg. Co., of Manchester, N. H. He is a qualified expert in textile machinery and has to his credit a widely used device for humidifying the atmosphere of textile and other factories.

It was under Mr. Thompson's management that the so much talked about Taylor system was installed at the local plant of the company, the installation alone, it is said, cost over $15,000, not counting the running expenses of it, which it is understood are very high. With this system every operation of the machinists is registered, as well as the time spent on each piece of work. The employes of the plant are not much pleased with it and accordingly it has been the topic of much discussion at meetings of the recently organized union among the employes of the shop.

Mr. Thompson to a Sun reporter last night stated the need for increased economy of administration is really pressing under present circumstances, and accordingly he felt it his duty to ask to be relieved as soon as convenient for the company. He said his successor has been appointed in the person of Mr. Blake of Biddeford, Me., who will supervise both the Biddeford and Lowell plants. It is understood that considerable changes are to be made in the plant, and the employes feel confident that the Taylor system will disappear with the former superintendent.

LOWELL BAR ASSOCIATION

The members of the Lowell Bar association held their annual meeting this morning in the local court room, previous to the regular session of court. President William A. Bent presided and James J. Kerwin submitted the annual report of the treasurer.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, William A. Bent; vice presidents, Judge John J. Pickman and John J. Hogan; secretary and treasurer, James J. Kerwin; executive committee, Frank E. Dunbar, Judge Frederic A. Fisher, William H. Wilson, Hon. Dennis J. Murphy and Daniel J. Donahue.

On recommendation of the executive committee it was voted to close all offices at 6 o'clock on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, and between the hours of 1 and 6 o'clock p. m. on Saturdays.

Judge Fisher moved, and it was voted that a meeting be held during the [illegible] place of the annual banquet, and the arrangements for the same were left with the executive committee.

CRIMINAL LIBEL CHARGED

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 27.—The charge by Judge Joseph E. F. Donnelly and the jury's verdict were all that remained today to complete the trial in the superior court of Rev. Wilbur F. Berry, D. D., of Waterville, editor of the Christian Civic league record on the charge of criminally libelling Associate Justice George F. Haley of the Maine supreme court. The evidence for the state and all that the defense was permitted to introduce was all in and the arguments for both sides were made before court adjourned last night. An early verdict was expected.

CONVENING OF CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Sen. Shafroth of Colorado is pressing the judiciary committee for favorable action on his resolution to amend the constitution so as to make the date of the convening of congress the first Monday in January following the election instead of March 4, and to have the term of the president begin the third Monday in January instead of March 4. In a statement presented to the committee, the senator asserted that the proposed change in the date of the opening of congress would prevent such a situation as arose in the Hayes-Tilden contesting 1876.

DROP 200 FEET

Eleven Men Reported Fatally Hurt in Mine Accident

TERRE HAUTE, Jan. 27.—Eleven men are reported fatally hurt today when they dropped 200 feet by the parting of a cage cable at the Sanford Coal mine, four miles west of West Terre Haute.

IN POLICE COURT

James McCarty pleaded not guilty in police court this morning before Judge Fisher to absconding from the state infirmary at Tewksbury and later going back to the institution and soliciting aid. The defendant said that he left the Tewksbury hospital to go to work. He was found guilty and sent to the state farm.

Alexander McPherson and John Devaney pleaded guilty to a similar charge and were both ordered committed to the state farm. Devaney appealed from the sentence.

John Swanson pleaded guilty to drinking too many half stocks last night. He was fined $8. Guerkin Durkin was present at a wedding feast last night and drank a trifle too freely for proper navigation. He was released upon the payment of $2.

Thomas J. Walsh was in very bad physical condition this morning and Judge Fisher sent him to jail for 30 days.

Thomas Devlin was sent to the Thorndike street institution for ten days.

William Wallace escaped with a $6 fine.

Patrick H. Ray got quite drunk and boisterous last night at the home of his brother and caused quite a commotion. He was sent to jail for ten days.

John H. Smith, who has a wife and child in Lawrence depending upon him for support, was given a fine of $6.

John B. Logan was sent to the state farm at Bridgewater. Logan will be transferred from the state farm to the state hospital in Tewksbury.

Bartender Fined $50

Henry Greenhalge, a bartender in the employ of Clarence E. Cunningham, was fined $50 for illegally selling liquor.

27 PAROLES GRANTED

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 27.—Under the indeterminate sentence law, passed at the last session of the legislature, 27 paroles were granted, it was announced here today.

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

You Have to Take Your Hat Off to Me

Says the "I WILL" Man

That is what they are all doing on the real savings that I am offering on the best clothing merchandise that this city has ever seen. And I am taking my hat off, too, to you people who have shown your good judgment in recognizing great clothing values. This sale has simply taken this town by storm, because it has knocked all previous price-making into smithereens. And we are going right ahead and winning more friends and customers every day. You had better get in the swim, if you have not been here yet.

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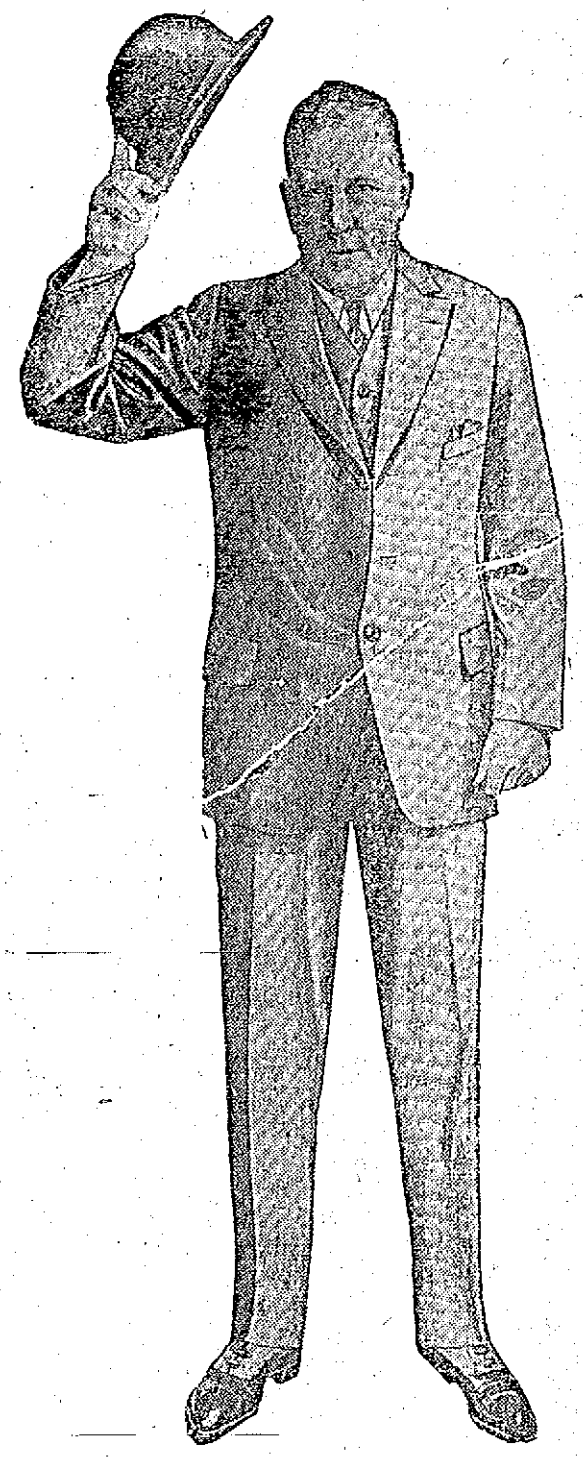
You will believe that we do what we say, though, if you will only drop in and examine these Suits and Overcoats. There can be no doubt about their style and quality. They are from reliable makers that you know and whose makes are standard. Read!



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$7.63—Value.....$10, $12.50
$9.87—Value.....$12.50, $15
$14.87—Value.....$20, $22.50
$18.37—Value..... $25

OVERCOATS

$7.63—Value..... $10
$9.87—Value.....$12.50, $15
$14.87—Value.....$20, $22.50
$18.37—Value..... $25
$21.37—Value.....$30 to $35

TROUSER REDUCTIONS

$1.57—Value..... $2.00
$1.97—Value..... $2.50
$2.37—Value..... $3.00
$2.87—Value..... $3.50
$3.37—Value..... $4.00
$3.87—Value..... $5.00
$4.37—Value..... $6.00

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29c Silk and Wool—Value.....50c
11c Heavy Merino—Value.....15c
17c Cashmere—Value.....25c

BOYS' OVERCOATS

$1.87—Value..... $2.50
$2.37—Value.....$3.00, $3.50
$2.87—Value..... $4.00
$3.87—Value.....$5.00, $6.00

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$1.37—Value..... $2.00
$1.87—Value.....$2.50, $3.00
$2.87—Values..... $3.50
$3.87—Value.....$5.00, $6.00

SPECIALS

3c Handkerchiefs—Value.....10c
15c Garters—Value.....25c
36c Suspenders—Value.....50c
23c Aviation Caps—Value.....50c
$1.15 Soft Hats—Value.....$2.00
$1.15 Derby Hats—Value.....$2.00

BOYS' PANTS

43c—Value..... 50c
89c—Value..... $1.00
69c—Value..... 75c
$1.29—Value..... $1.50

SHIRTS

39c Negligee—Value..... 50c
69c (3 for $2.00)—Value..... $1.00
$1.09 (3 for $3.00)—Value..... $1.50

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The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for over 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments, and endanger the health of Children—Experience against Experiment.

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by Betty Dean

Janet: Stop that falling hair right away, for it irritates the scalp. The constant scratching you speak of may be dangerous. Finger nails often poison the skin. Conquer the dandruff at once with this simple tonic—made by dissolving one ounce of quinzoin in one half pint of alcohol and adding one half pint cold water. This is a refreshing treatment—excellent for preventing that irritated scalp. It will not change the natural color, but will heighten it and add life and freshness.

Valaze: I do not approve radical measures for beautifying the eyes. Here is a home-made remedy which has done wonders for weak, inflamed or watery eyes. Dissolve an ounce of crystos in a pint of water; put two or three drops in each eye two or three times a day. This will enable you to put off the evil hour of wearing glasses and besides being soothing and restful to the vision will emphasize the expression and give sparkle and charm to the eyes.

Maggie O.: I never recommend talcum powder for the face—nor, indeed, is there any ordinary face powder which will answer all the demands. The only thing I can heartily recommend is spurmax, which I have used on the recommendation of Parisian beauty authorities. It is a liquid beautifier which is, also, a good tonic for the skin, protecting it, while at the same time, it makes you look fair, clear and radiant. Get 4 ounces spurmax from the druggist, mix in one half pint hot water and add two teaspoonfuls of glycerine. This will give you enough to last a long time, and is the best way to keep the complexion youthful and natural with a soft, velvety bloom. One application is plenty for several hours' time.

Sue L.: I don't blame you for not being enthusiastic about dieting to reduce your flesh. Many doctors say it is dangerous besides being a martyrdom. It may reduce your vitality and the "remedy be worse than the disease." Instead of this [illegible] is easily taken, and is sure to bring down your weight without bad effects of any kind. Dissolve 4 ounces parmotis in 1½ pints water. Take a tablespoonful before meals. Don't be afraid of flabby effects on the skin.

Mary L.: I shouldn't call a pimpled skin and red nose "dreadful disfigurements," especially when they are so easily remedied. Try this greaseless cream jelly briskly massaged into the skin: Get one ounce of almozoin at your druggist's and stir it into a half pint of cold water, adding two teaspoonfuls of glycerine. I will be glad to hear how this helps you. Others are constantly writing me in praise of this wonderful remedy, almozoin, which is fine to prevent wrinkles, flabbiness, sallowness and all skin troubles.

Blonde: I can not advise any bleaching process for the hair. The best way to retain the color of your "golden crown" is to keep the scalp healthy and free from dandruff and dirt. Shampoo often, using only canthrox for the lather. A teaspoonful in a cup of hot water is plenty. There is plenty in a package for fifteen shampoos, and it will leave your hair magnificently clean, fluffy and altogether lovely. Try it. Use no soap. If the scalp trouble continues use quinzoin, for which see answer to Janet.

Miss L. Smith: If looking in your mirror discourages you lately, it does not prove that you are permanently losing your good looks. The probabilities are that you are only temporarily run down, and I would urge you to try this simple home-made tonic: Dissolve an ounce of kardene in half a pint of alcohol, add one-half cup of sugar and enough hot water to make a full quart. Take a tablespoonful before each meal. It will restore your beauty, and with the new blood and strength it will give you, I prophesy a speedy return to your good looks and fine spirits. For the [illegible] answer to [illegible] Book, $5. (Adv.)

PINKLETS

To Clear the Complexion

One result of constipation is to disfigure the complexion with pimples and blotches. This is because poisons which should have been expelled from the body are retained. Cosmetics and ointments will not avail to clear such a complexion. The poisons which cause the disfiguration must be removed as nature intended.

To do this a laxative that will gently assist nature, but which will cause no reacting constipation to aggravate the trouble, is needed.

Pinklets, the dainty new laxative, quickly clear away all offending matter without the least griping or discomfort. So simple is their composition that they can be taken with any other medicine that is not in itself a laxative. In every household such a simple, safe medicine is needed. Pinklets are tiny, sugar-coated granules, easy to take. Your own druggist can supply you. Sold in 25 cent bottles only.

Pinklets are a corrective for bad breath, will clear the complexion, and are recommended for torpid liver, biliousness, headaches, constipation and whenever a gentle laxative is required. Write to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for Pinklet book. It is free.

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A Miracle as a Blood Purifier. Say thousands who have used them. A positive cure for Rheumatism, Constipation and Foul Breath. Best remedy for Liver, Kidney and Stomach. Eliminates all poisons from the systems without griping. Purely Vegetable and guaranteed under Pure Food and Drug Law. Free samples on request to SCHENCK CHEMICAL CO., 51 Franklin street, New York. 25 cents a box at

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From Yesterday's Late Editions

FOR REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING STOCK MARKET SEE LATER EDITIONS

DISCHARGED FOREMAN WILL FIGHT REMOVAL

William C. Gardner, a former foreman in the street department of this city, who, some time ago was discharged by Commissioner Charles J. Morse, and who was given a hearing by Mr. Morse under the rules of the civil service, has filed a petition with the justice of the police court for a review of the said hearing, and the court may listen to the evidence a week from Wednesday.

According to chapter 624 of the acts of 1911, no appeal can be made to the civil service commission in the case of the discharge of an employe who is protected by the civil service, but this matter has been turned over to the police court justice of each city, and this is the first case of its kind which will be heard in Lowell.

The petition as filed with the justice of the police court by Mr. Gardner's attorney, Thomas G. Robbins is as follows:

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, SS. Lowell Police Court.

To the Honorable the Justice of the Lowell Police Court.

Respectfully represents your petitioner, William C. Gardner, who says that he is a citizen of Lowell in said county of Middlesex, and has served as a permanent foreman under the classified civil service as applied to said city of Lowell in the street department of said city of Lowell for a period of about 17 years up to and including Monday, Jan. 5, 1914.

That on Monday, Jan. 5, 1914, he was temporarily suspended and served with a written notice as provided by chapter 314 of the acts of 1904 as amended by chapter 243 of the acts of 1905, of proposed indefinite suspension by Chas. J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways, a copy of which notice is hereto annexed marked "A" and made a part of this petition.

That your petitioner on Jan. 8, 1914, requested in writing that he be given a public hearing and answered in writing the charges contained in above mentioned written notice as is provided by chapter 314 of the acts of 1904 as amended by chapter 243 of the acts of 1905, a copy of which answer is hereto annexed and made a part of this petition and is marked "B."

That a public hearing was given your petitioner on Thursday, January 15, 1914 at the office of the commissioner of streets and highways in said city of Lowell, and thereafter your petitioner was indefinitely suspended from employment as a foreman in said department of streets and highways in said city of Lowell by Charles J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways.

Wherefore your petitioner prays this honorable court that the action of Charles J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways in said city of Lowell in indefinitely suspending your said petitioner from employment as a foreman in said department may be reviewed by this honorable court and witnesses heard as is provided by chapter 624 of the acts of 1911.

William C. Gardner,
By his attorney.

THE ORDER OF REMOVAL

The finding of Commissioner Morse referred to as "A" in the foregoing is as follows:

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 5, 1914.

Mr. William C. Gardner, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir: You are hereby notified that I propose to indefinitely suspend you from further employment as a foreman in the street department of the city of Lowell for the reasons that said position now filled by you is not necessary for the efficient conduct of the affairs of said department, that the duties you have been performing can be transferred to other employes of the department and that the economical administration of said department will be best carried out by said suspension.

You are hereby notified further that you are entitled to a public hearing if you so desire in accordance with the provisions of chapter 314 of the acts of 1904, as amended by chapter 243 of the acts of 1905; and that unless you request a hearing before Friday, Jan. 9, 1914, I shall take the action I have above indicated.

You are notified further that pending said proposed action you are hereby temporarily suspended from further service in said street department.

Charles J. Morse,
Commissioner of Streets and Highways.

Gardner's Answer to Charges

The reply of Gardner referred to as "B," is as follows:

Charles J. Morse, Commissioner of Streets and Highways vs. William C. Gardner. Answer to charges preferred against William C. Gardner.

And now comes the above named William C. Gardner and for answer to the charges preferred against him by Charles J. Morse, commissioner of streets and highways of the city of Lowell, as contained in a written document dated at Lowell, Jan. 5, 1914 and signed by Charles J. Morse, says that he is a citizen of Lowell and has held the position of permanent foreman under the classified civil service in the street department of the city of Lowell for a period of seventeen years.

That at the time of his temporary suspension on January 5, 1914, he was fifth on the list of permanent foremen eligible to serve as such under the classified civil service in the street department of said city of Lowell.

That at the present time there are more than five permanent foremen serving in the street department of said city of Lowell.

That the reasons for suspension of William C. Gardner as alleged in the above mentioned document do not include any charges of incompetency, inefficiency or insubordination on the part of William C. Gardner.

That so long as five permanent foremen are employed in the street department of said city of Lowell the said William C. Gardner is entitled to serve as one of them, he not being charged with incompetency, inefficiency or insubordination, or any charges of like nature.

That at the present time the employes who were under the said William C. Gardner are at work at the same place under the supervision of another permanent foreman.

That the said suspension of William C. Gardner is not wholly for the reasons set forth in the above mentioned written document, but is for political reasons.

THE FRISCO ROAD

Financial Operation the Cause of Receivers, Says Interstate Board

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Financial operations—not ordinary railroad difficulties—were the cause of the receivers for the St. Louis & San Francisco system, according to the interstate commerce commission's investigation reported today at the direction of the senate.

Although the report says the senate resolution, does not call for expression of opinion or recommendations, it does declare, referring to the sale just before the receivership of $3,000,000 of five per cent. bonds, French series, at 75 to Speyer & Co. of New York, "that the sale of securities to the investing public through bankers at a time when every apearance indicated the insolvency of the issuing company, invites and warrants the condemnation of all who assisted or participated in each sale.

"Speyer & Co. should have been aware of the poverty of the 'Frisco and of its difficulties in obtaining funds."

The insolvency of the 'Frisco, the report says, may be attributed to various causes, among them:

Disproportionate capitalization.

The acquisition of new lines.

The financing by the 'Frisco of the New Orleans, Texas & Mexico railroad and other south Texas lines.

The desire for an entrance into Chicago, resulting in the assumption of heavy fixed charges in the acquisition of the stock of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad.

The sale of its securities at prices so low as to indicate a deplorably weakened credit and an extravagant arrangement with bankers to whom large profits accrued in the purchase of the bonds and the subsequent sale of same to the public.

Miscellaneous causes, among which are the payment of dividends upon its preferred stock in spite of its weakened credit and need of money.

THE ASSYRIAN BISHOP

Rt. Rev. Bishop Raphael Hawaweeny of the Assyrian church of Brooklyn, N. Y., will come to Lowell tomorrow to act as sponsor for the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Ansara of 98-100 Suffolk street, who will be christened tomorrow evening. The distinguished clergyman will be accompanied by two Assyrian priests, among whom will be Rev. M. Husson of Worcester, an uncle of George Husson, the well known real estate man of this city.

Bishop Hawaweeny is a well learned man and a clergyman who is highly respected all over the country. He speaks seven different languages and has been located in the state of New York for the past 17 years. His first visit to this city was in 1907, when he officiated at the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Ansara. A few years later he again returned and officiated at the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. George Husson.

During his short stay in Lowell this week he will visit the pastor of the Greek Orthodox church as well as the beautiful church in Jefferson street, and he will also pay a visit to the people of his church who reside in Lowell. The Assyrian people of this city will tender their bishop a cordial welcome and it is possible that they will honor him with a reception, providing he does not leave Lowell tomorrow evening.

LOCAL NEWS

There is a fine picture of St. Jean Baptiste church at the police station and the owner can take possession of it by applying at the station and proving ownership. The picture, which is framed, was not stolen, but was found in Westford street a few weeks ago by Patrolman Ealy. It was immediately sent to the station, but not a word has been heard as to who is the owner. It is believed the frame fell to the ground from a moving team and although the loss has been discovered, the owners probably do not know where they can recover it.

An evening of fun that will rival the recent circus will arrive Wednesday when the girls of the play class of the Y. W. C. A. will give two new humorous plays, "Obadiah's Visit" and "Mrs. Oakley's Telephone." The cast for the first will include Anna McKay, Elvira Braden, Amy Peabody, Florence Chamberlain, Flora Walker, Dorothy Moody, Susie Caldwell, Eva French, Doris Wilson, Lois Braden, Muriel Leach, Susanne Long and "Obadiah." The cast of the second play is made up of Lillian M. Smith, Florence Grant, Edith Fletcher and Florence Chamberlain.

FAVOR STANDARD OIL CO.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Charges that the proposed increased freight rates on petroleum, which the eastern railroads are asking the inter-state commerce commission to authorize, would discriminate heavily against independent refineries in favor of the Standard Oil Co. were made today at a hearing of shippers by F. W. Boltz, traffic manager of the National Petroleum association, an organization of 40 odd oil companies.

Boltz testified that the railroads had made no attempt to put through a horizontal increase of five per cent. —the degree of advance for which they are applying—but that the tariff they were asking the commission to approve contained increases varying between 2 to 19 per cent. He presented a mass of figures and tables which he declared would show that wherever competition was involved between the Standard and the independents the Standard had been favored.

DEATHS

SMITH—Elmira, wife of Edward Smith, aged 45 years, died today in Worcester. The body was removed to this city by Undertaker J. A. Weinbeck. Funeral notice later.

CAMPBELL—John E. Campbell, aged 22 year, 7 months and 28 days, died today at his home, 55 Stratham street. He was the son of Alexander and Jewett Campbell. Funeral notice later.

Stock Market Closing Prices, Jan. 26th

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	75⅞	74½	75
Am Beet Sugar	27¼	27¼	27¼
Am Can	34⅝	33¾	34½
Am Can pfd	95½	95½	95¾
Am Car & Fn	50¼	49½	50
Am Hide & L pf	25¼	24½	25¼
Am Locomo	36	35¾	36
Am Smelt & R	70¼	68	69¾
Am Smelt & R pf	104½	104½	104½
Am Sugar Rfn	108⅞	108¾	108¾
Anaconda	36½	36	36¼
Atchison	100	99¾	100
Atch pf	100	99¾	100
Balt & Ohio	98½	96⅞	98¼
Br Rap Tran	92	91¼	91¾
Canadian Pa	211¼	210½	210¾
Cent Leather	28½	27⅞	28¼
Cent Leather pf	97	96¾	97
Ches & Ohio	67½	67	67½
Chi & Gt W	14¼	14⅛	14¼
C C C & St L	40	39	40
Col Fuel	34	33	34
Consol Gas	138⅝	137½	137½
Del & Hud	159	158⅛	159
Dis Secur Co	18	18	18
Erie	32⅜	31⅛	31¾
Erie 1st pf	49½	49¼	49½
Erie 2d pf	40	40	40
Gen Elec	148½	147¾	147½
Gt North pf	129¼	128½	129
Gt N Ore ctf	38¾	38	38½
Illinois Cen	116	114	116
Int Met Com	16½	16	16
Int Met pf	62⅝	61½	61⅞
In S Pump Co	9¾	9¼	9¼
Kan City So	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞
Kan City So pf	62	62	62
Kan & Tex	24	23½	23½
Kan & T pf	69	69	69
Lehigh Valley	155½	154⅝	155
Mexican Cent	14	13	13½
Missouri Pa	29⅝	29	29½
Nat Lead	52	51	52
N Y Aid Brake	68	68	68
N Y Central	95⅞	94¼	95⅛
Nor & West	104¾	104⅜	104¾
No Am Co	72¾	72⅜	72⅜
North Pacific	116¼	115¼	115⅜
Pennsylvania	115⅜	114¼	114¾
Pressed Steel	35⅝	34¾	35⅝
Ry St Sp Co	31½	30	31¼
Reading	169⅝	168⅜	168⅜
Rep Iron & S	26½	24½	26⅝
Rep I & S pf	89¾	88¾	89¾
Rock Is	16⅛	15½	15¾
Rock Is pf	24⅝	23¾	23⅞
St L & So'wn	26¾	26	26½
St L & S'n pf	65½	65⅛	65⅛
St Paul	105¾	105¼	105¾
So Pacific	98⅞	97⅛	98⅛
Southern Ry	27½	26¾	26⅞
Southern Ry pf	84½	83¾	83⅞
Tenn Copper	35⅝	34½	34⅞
Third Ave	42½	43	43⅛
Union Pac	162	160⅞	161½
Union Pac pf	84⅞	84⅞	84⅞
U S Rub	62⅝	61	62
U S Rub pf	103	102¾	103
U S Steel	66	64⅞	66¼
U S Steel pf	112¼	111¾	112
U S Steel 5s	102	101⅝	101⅝
Utah Copper	54¾	53¾	54¾
Wabash R R	4½	4⅛	4½
Wab R R pf	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛
Westinghouse	71⅝	71	71
Western Un	64	63⅝	64
Wh & L Erie	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Jan. 26.—Local copper shares opened dull and generally weak today but by noon the market had recovered. Boston & Maine was also lower, at 49.

UNCERTAIN MOVEMENT

AT OPENING—LATER LIST STIFFENED—AND ADVANCE WAS RESUMED

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Stocks moved uncertainly in the early trading today. Business was on a much smaller scale than during last week's rise. Speculators took the short side at the opening, believing the reaction which set in on Saturday had not run its course, but this accomplished little. While first prices showed a majority of declines, the movement was inconsequential except in the case of Baltimore & Ohio, which lost nearly a point. Later the list stiffened.

The advance in stocks was resumed today after a slight reaction in the early trading. The strong showing of a few stocks, together with the inability of professional traders to force down the market, caused the list to rally from the early, although during the morning the average remained below the highest of last week. Specialties which reflected favorable trade conditions fluctuated vigorously and the industrial list as a whole was helped by favorable forecasts of United States Steel's quarterly report. Wire houses were well represented in the trading, which expanded, after which the market overcame its initial downward tendency.

There was no parallel in today's market to the spirited buying of stocks and bonds last week and in the afternoon trading was quiet. Foreign buying was a potential influence in offsetting the effect of professional selling. London purchased some 20,000 shares here. Metal issues were absorbed steadily. Steel was raised one point and smelting two.

The market closed easy. Buoyancy of steel which extended its gain to two points intimidated the shorts into buying all around the room and prices rose still further. Some of the earlier weak features, including Baltimore & Ohio, were bid up rapidly. Just at the end prices ran off sharply under the weight of heavy profit taking sales.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Mercantile paper 4a4 3-4 per cent. Sterling exchange firm; 60 days 483.35; demand 486.25; commercial bills 483. Bar silver 67 5-8. Mexican dollars 45. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds firm.

Call money steady 1 3-4a2 per cent.; ruling rate 1 3-4; last loan 2, closing 1 3-4a2.

Time loans weaker; 60 days 2 3-4a3; 90 days 3 1-4a1-2; six months 4.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
RAILROADS			
Boston & Albany	191	191	191
Boston Elevated	83½	83⅜	84
Bos & Maine	51	49¼	51
Fitchburg pf	90	90	90
N Y & N H	76½	75	75
MINING			
Allouez	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
Arcadian	8⅛	8	8⅛
Arizona Com	5⅛	5	5⅛
Cal & Arizona	68	67½	67½
Cal & Hecla	433	432	433
Centennial	17	17	17
Chino	41⅝	41⅛	41⅝
Copper Range	39¾	39¼	39½
E Butte	13	12½	12⅞
Franklin	4¼	4¼	4¼
Granby	84½	84	84
Greene-Cananea	38¾	38½	38½
Hancock	20	20	20
Indiana	6	5½	5
Kerr Lake	5	5	5
Mayflower	8	7⅞	7⅞
Mohawk	46⅝	45½	45⅝
Nevada	16½	16⅛	16½
Nipissing	8	7½	7⅝
North Butte	29¼	28⅞	29¼
No Lake	2¼	2¼	2¼
Old Colony	47⅛	47⅛	47⅛
Old Dominion	52½	52⅛	52½
Osceola	81	79½	79½
Quincy	65	65	65
Ray Con	19⅛	18⅞	19⅛
Santa Fe	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
Shannon	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
Superior	29	29	29
Superior & Boston	2½	2⅜	2½
Tamarack	31½	31½	31½
Utah Cons	10¼	10	10¼
Winona	3½	3⅜	3½
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	124	123½	123⅞
New Eng Tel	140	140	140
MISCELLANEOUS			
Am Pneu pf	19½	19½	19½
Mass Elec	13½	13½	13½
Mass Elec pf	66½	66	66
Mass Gas	93	92¾	92¾
Mass Gas pf	92¾	92¼	92¼
United Fruit	168	167	168
United Sh M	56	55½	55¾
UNLISTED SECURITIES			
Alaska Gold	23⅝	23½	23¾
Am Ag Chem Com	56½	56	56½
Am Ag Chem pf	96¾	96¼	96½
Am Woolen pf	82¾	82¼	82¼
American Zinc	20⅝	20	20¼
Butte & Superior	34⅛	33½	33¾
Isle Royale	22	21⅞	22
Lake Copper	10	9¾	10
Miami Cop	23¾	23¼	23¾
Pond Creek	20¼	20¼	20¼
Swift & Co	106¾	106¾	106¾
U S Smelting	42¾	42½	42½
U S Smelting pf	48¾	48½	48½
Utah-Apex	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
BONDS			
Am Tel & T 4s	88⅞	88½	88¾
do con 4½s	99	99	99

COTTON FUTURES

	Opening	Close
January	12.40	12.38
March	12.58	12.58
May	12.38	12.35
July	12.32	12.33
October	11.63	11.63

COTTON SPOT

Cotton spot closed quiet. Middling Uplands 12.50. Middling Gulf 12.15. Sales 500 bales.

DENIES "GHOST" STORY

DISTRICT ATTORNEY SAYS GRONDIN'S REPORT WAS A PRODUCT OF HIS IMAGINATION

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 26.—Denial of charges by attorneys for John H. Grondin, accused of having murdered his wife, Zella, that the police had used the third degree with a "ghost" as the central figure in an attempt to extort a confession, was made by the district attorney's office today.

According to W. F. Shannon, deputy district attorney, Grondin occasionally becomes delirious from the use of a drug. Shannon declared that the "ghost," which, according to Grondin's attorneys appears in a darkened room where the police had taken the prisoner and demanded in gloomy tones, "Why did you murder me?" was a product of the accused man's imagination.

Grondin is charged with having poisoned his wife here last October and then attempting to establish that she killed herself by inhaling gas. The police said he forged a note explaining his wife's alleged suicide, the note containing an admission of infidelity and the hope that he would be happy with "the woman who truly loved him."

County officials said a widow of Waterville, Me., is the "other woman" in whom Grondin was interested.

Neil Kelliher, a state senator of Maine, who was mentioned in the so-called "suicide letter," telegraphed today that he would come to testify against Grondin.

The letter suggested Kelliher had been infatuated with Mrs. Grondin.

The dead woman was the daughter of George Daviau, a druggist of Waterville, Me., where she married Grondin when he was 21 years old.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Joseph C. Charest and Miss Rosanna Paquin were married this morning at a nuptial mass celebrated at 8 o'clock at St. Joseph's church, the officiating clergyman being Rev. C. A. Paquette, O. M. I. The happy couple were attended by Messrs. Urbain Charest and Maxime Milot. At the close of the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride, 138 Aiken street, followed by a wedding dinner.

PICHETTE—MIREAULT

At seven o'clock this morning at St. Joseph's church, the marriage of Mr. Albert Pichette and Miss Mathilde Mireault was performed, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Armand Baron, O. M. I. The witnesses were Cyrille Pichette and Louis Mireault, respective fathers of the bridegroom and bride. At the close of the ceremony a dinner and reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 467 Moody street.

HELD IN $10,000

Rosenfeld Charged With Obtaining $87,000 From Hub Woman

BOSTON, Jan. 26.—After a world wide search, local authorities arrested Samuel Rosenfeld in this city this afternoon on 16 indictments arising from the so-called de luxe book sale cases. Rosenfeld was arraigned on an indictment charging him with obtaining $87,000 from Mary L. Rogers of Boston and was held in $10,000 bail for trial. Although the chase for Rosenfeld extended to Europe he was found in a hotel here.

FOR DISCHARGE OF THAW

BRIEF STATES THAT DEMAND FOR EXTRADITION OPENS DOOR TO SUSPICION OF MALICE

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 26.—Counsel for Harry K. Thaw filed in the United States district court in this city this afternoon a brief of 47 printed pages in support of Thaw's petition for his discharge upon a writ of habeas corpus from the custody of the officers who are holding him upon Governor Felker's warrant for extradition to the state of New York.

The brief claims that "it cannot be said that a person is accorded due process of law under the constitution if he is surrendered to the demanding state on a pretext when the real purpose for demanding him is something foreign to the matters set out in the extradition papers."

It is suggested that the fact that the state of New York in assuming the burden of demanding extradition for so trivial an offense opens the door of suspicion that "behind it all is the malice of private individuals."

FUNERAL NOTICE

CAMPBELL—John E. Campbell, died Jan. 26th, at 55 Strathum street, aged 22 years, 7 months and 28 days. He was the son of Alexander and Janet Campbell. Funeral services Wednesday, Jan. 28, at 55 Stratham street at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Funeral in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck.

INDICTED FOR SMUGGLING

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—Lucius N. and William Littauer, brothers, the former at one time a member of congress, have been indicted by the federal grand jury here, charged with smuggling into this country a diamond necklace.

WATER QUESTION

Flooding of the Skating Rink Makes Trouble in Belvidere

There were complaints galore from Belvidere this morning about the condition of the water there and the fault was laid again at the door of the Shedd park rink. It skipped the mind of the superintendent of parks that Monday is wash day in Belvidere and just for that he opened the six-inch main about one-quarter way for the purpose of flooding the rink. He also turned on the hydrant and the opening of both of these water avenues raised ructions with the women who were doing the week's washing.

The complaints came in at the office of the water board at city hall and Supt. Thomas sought out the superintendent of parks. Mr. Thomas found that the six-inch main had been turned on quarter way, and that the hydrant was in operation. Mr. Kernan, the park superintendent, explained that the main had been turned on only for a short time and he said he would not have turned it on at all had he thought that this was wash day. Mr. Thomas requested Mr. Kernan to shut off the hydrant, too, and Mr. Kernan ordered the hydrant shut off at once.

Mr. Thomas explained that it takes very little to roll the water in the pipes, especially in the case of a long carry like Belvidere. "The skating rink ought not to be flooded on Monday," said Mr. Thomas, "and it ought not to be flooded in the morning at any rate."

He told Mr. Kernan that the flooding should be done in the evening and Mr. Kernan agreed that was right but that in order to do the flooding in the evening the park department would have to pay its men overtime.

"It would be better to pay them overtime than to have these complaints coming in," said Mr. Thomas.

"But we haven't got the money," said Mr. Kernan.

Explaining further about the water, Mr. Thomas said: "There is always more or less sediment in the pipe, iron, mud, etc., and it doesn't take very much to disturb it so as to color the water. The Cook wells and those of the boulevard are in operation at the present time and they run in opposite directions. This, of course, has a tendency to disturb the water and any little extra on top of this makes matters worse. We would like to close the Cook wells but we do not consider it advisable to do so as long as the cold weather continues."

CUNARD LINE CUTS RATES

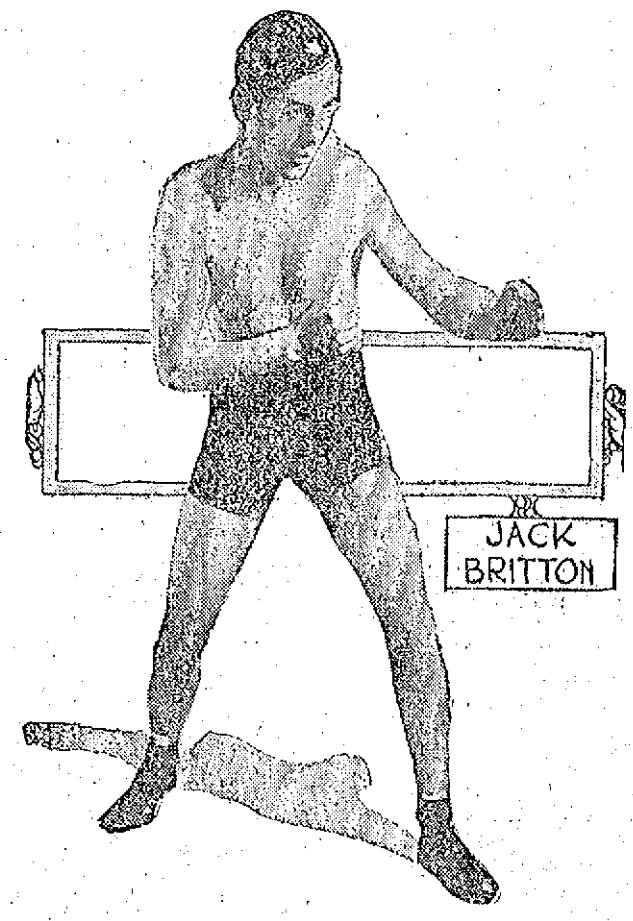
LONDON, Jan. 26.—The American, Cunard and White Star this afternoon announced reductions of $4 in their rates for east-bound passengers and $2.50 for west bound passengers, bringing their prices down to the cut rates of the Hamburg-American steamship company.

FIGHT TO FINISH

Mass. G.O.P. Club Says Progressives Will Return to Fold

BOSTON, Jan. 26.—A hopeful view of the future of the republican party was taken and the prediction that the progressives would eventually return to the fold was made today at the annual meeting of the Republican club of Massachusetts. The club spent $4458 in the campaign last fall, in which Congressman Augustus P. Gardner, the party candidate, was defeated for governor. Former Rep. Courtney Crocker of Boston, the new president of the organization, declared there were already signs that the progressives cannot and will not be held in line. Their natural allegiance, he said, "is with the republicans. If we must fight them or surrender, let us fight them to a finish. In the meantime, let us be willing to learn, so that we shall be ready when the opportunity comes for the rank and file of the two parties to join together again for the common good."

JACK BRITTON HOT ON TRAIL OF "HARLEM" TOMMY MURPHY



Jack Britton, the very speedy light-weight boxer, started in the new year with two very creditable victories and is now looking for new fields to conquer. Britton is particularly anxious to fight "Harlem" Tommy Murphy, who is open for an engagement now that Willie Ritchie has dodged the New Yorker.

SAFETY IS FIRST

Am. Express Co. Notifies Drivers to Give Pedestrians Right of Way

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—In view of the many deaths to pedestrians in motor truck accidents, the American Express Co. announced today that it had equipped the dashboard of each of its trucks with this reminder for the chauffeurs:

"Safety first. Pedestrians have the right of way. In case of doubt, stop your trucks. Take no chances of injuring anyone. Safety first."

58 WOMEN WERE KILLED

MANY MEN AND CHILDREN ALSO LOST LIVES IN A FIRE PANIC AT MOVING PICTURE SHOW

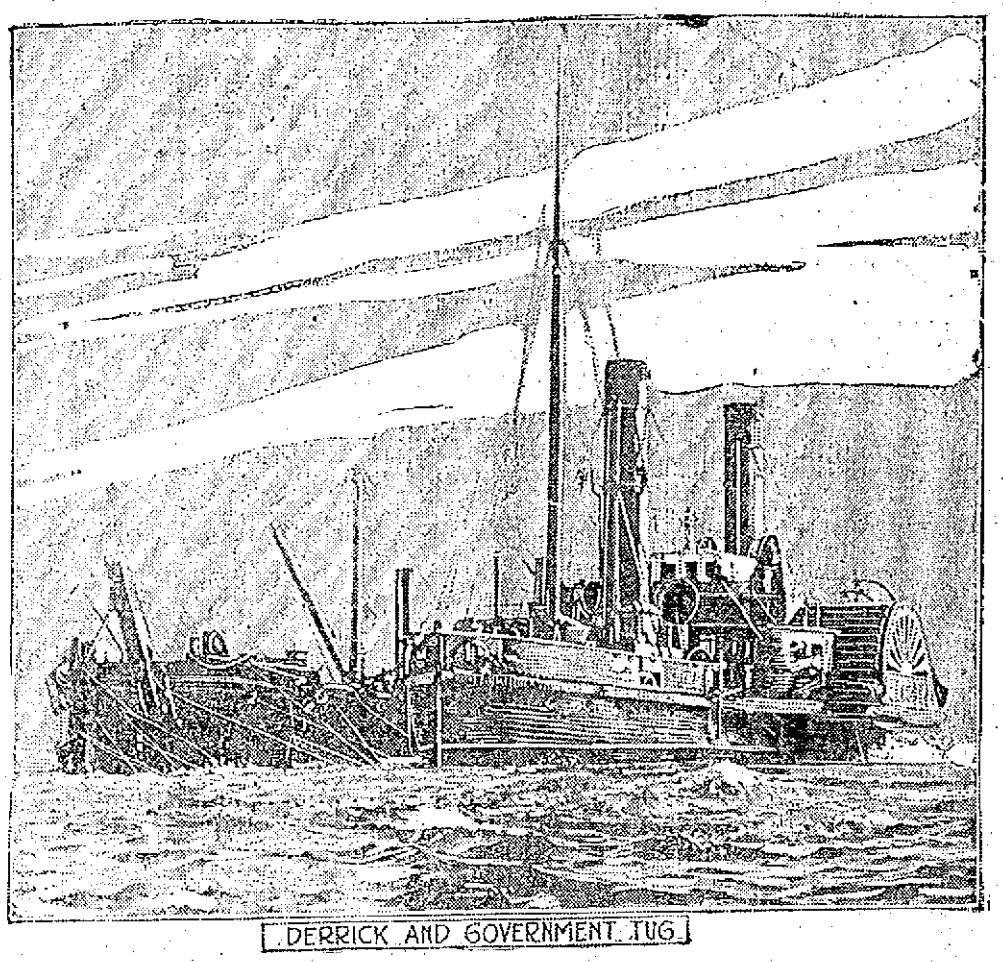
BATAVIA, D. W. I., Jan. 26.—Fifty-eight women and a number of children and men were killed in a fire panic at a moving picture show on a plantation in the Dutch residence of Suraba yesterday. Most of the victims were trampled to death or suffocated.

FUNERALS

O'CONNOR—The funeral of the late John J. O'Connor, a well known resident, took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 1 Manning place, Salem street, and was largely attended. The cortege which comprised over 40 carriages proceeded to St. Patrick's church, where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. James Kerrigan. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes, including a pillow inscribed "Papa" from the children; pillow inscribed "Our John," Daniel O'Connor and family; wreath from the employes of the Whitcall Mfg. Co.; wreath, the Misses Mahoney and Chas. Richards. Other tributes were from B. Agnes Daley, K. Kenney, A. Manning, G. Newton, A. Moran, H. Stratton, Madeline Conley, M. Conley, William Kenney, J. Newton, E. J. Shea, Margaret Quinn, Catherine Devine, Mrs. Ellen Rohan, Mrs. John Lynch, Mr. Michael Nelligan and family, Mrs. Mary Moriarty and Miss Mary Ann Saunders. The following delegation from the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's church of which deceased was an esteemed member, were in attendance: Patrick Reardon, John Regan, Daniel Redding and Daniel Murphy. The bearers were Thomas Sheehy, Maurice O'Connor, Patrick Thomas, John Wrean, Michael Nelligan and Jeremiah Dean. At the grave, Rev. Fr. Kerrigan read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

REARDON—The funeral of Mrs. Susan A. Reardon, formerly of Hillsboro, N. H., was held at the Lowell cemetery this morning at 11.30 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Walter F. Whitney, pastor of the Methodist church at Ashburnham, Mass. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

Wrecking Boats Which Will Lift To Surface British Submarine That Sank With Eleven Men



DERRICK AND GOVERNMENT TUG

LONDON, Jan. 27.—The British submarine A-7 will soon be raised. She carried eleven officers and enlisted men down to death in her fatal plunge during the recent maneuvers near Plymouth. The British navy will abolish the use of this style of submarine. The illustration shows a derrick and a government tug carrying divers at the spot in the English channel where the A-7 has been discovered to be lying in about 100 feet of water.

Athletes and Athletics

Finney Boyle did a quick job on Eddie Martin of New York last night in their bout in Dover, N. H. The big city scrapper lasted but three rounds with the Lowell boxer. Finney slid a hard right hand smash to his opponent's jaw after being outpointed for the first two sessions. Martin, however, did the local boy little damage but managed to keep away from him by clever foot and glove work.

If you will notice the Federals are signing but very few young ball players. The majority of players who have sent in their signed contracts to the outlaws are men who are very nearly passe in the game. The youngsters feel that the older organizations are the more certain proposition and consequently look down with askance upon proffers from the new league.

The track meet between the high school team and a squad of ex-high school track stars which was scheduled for next Saturday night at the high school annex has been called off. "Rach" Leggat had a likely looking bunch of track and field men on his list and the chances were strongly in favor of a win for the Alumni.

Sam Langford is once more the hero of Paris fight fans although his position must be admitted to be one notch less than that of Carpentier, who Bombardier Wells made famous. Sam's victory over the Englishman Curran, the other night greatly tickled the Frenchman. Curran only lasted a portion of the first round during which the Boston Tar Baby planted both hands in his face at will.

Freddie Yelle will meet Walter Mohr, the Brooklyn lightweight tomorrow night at New Bedford and looks like a winner although Mohr is a tough customer for any of the 133 pounders. Neither man will weigh in at the limit of the class. The bout will go twelve rounds and is attracting considerable attention throughout New England.

Snodgrass and Wilson have signed up with the Giants and put to sleep the rumors which had them both with the Federal fold. There is scarcely a player of prominence who has not been mentioned as a Fed, in fact a well known ball tosser might become famous by announcing that he never harbored the idea of signing with the outlaws.

The American amateur team traveling through Australia scored three wins in the big meeting held Saturday. Jimmie Power, the Boston miler, won his event in 4.25 4-5 on a slow track. Parker, the California sprinter, carried away the 220 yards and the quarter mile as well both in fairly fast time. The events were only mediocre in performances and none of the American athletes lived up to their past records.

We're all with you, Matty, and hope the Red Sox will strike a streak of hot weather on their southern trip. Any pitcher who wins 19 games out of 20 for us is certainly deserving of a lot of rooting at least and we wish you the best of luck in the "big show."

Manchester is a fine city for anyone except a local boxer—not. In fact it is practically impossible to beat a Manchester scrapper in his home town unless one carries concealed weapons. When the report reached us that Al Shubert only got a draw with Young Morgan we threw up our hands. Shubert did everything but knock the Manchester boy out, we are informed, but still only got an even break. Young Shepard did the same thing and Finney Boyle and Young Thomas walloped Young Chackus to their hearts' content and only received draws. It is a good town for a boxer to stay away from.

The report that Alec Pearson may manage Lewiston doesn't sound bad at all. Alec knows baseball and is very popular with his fellow players. The Lawrence pitcher can play most any position in either infield or out and knows the theory of the game to perfection. Manager Pieper depended more on Pearson's judgment last season than he did on his own under some circumstances.

Ad Wolgast is once more nearing a position where he can justly demand a battle from Willie Richie. The former champion's showing against Rivers shows that he has certainly mended his ways as he promised his friends that he would and is once more a real fighting machine. A brace of bouts like that one in which the Mexican was worsted and Wolgast will be calling the present champion all the harsh names in his vocabulary if he doesn't give him a date.

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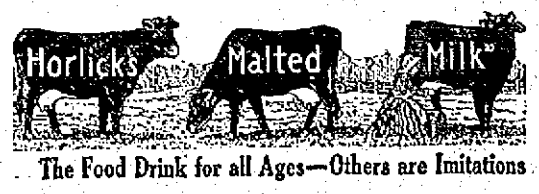

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YOUNG HEBREW ASSO.

WILL RUN A BALL IN LINCOLN HALL FEBRUARY 18—PRESIDENT GENERAL COMING

The members of the Young Men's Hebrew association held an important meeting last night at their headquarters in Middlesex street, and after transacting considerable business it was voted to run a ball, and accordingly a committee was appointed to look after the details of the affair, which promises to be a great event among local Hebrews.

The affair will be conducted in Lincoln hall on Feb. 18 and the guest of the evening will be the president general of the Y. M. H. A., Abraham Klubock, Esq., of Boston, who will deliver an address on the advantages to be derived from the association by the men. The hall will be beautifully decorated for the occasion and the committee in charge will arrange with local and out-of-town talent for a concert in the early part of the evening.

Those in charge of the arrangements are as follows: Sigmund Rostler, chairman; Max Greenberg, general manager; Samuel Smith, chief aid; Frederick Greenberg, floor director; and all other members of the association, aids.

The members of the Merrimack lodge of the Independent Order Brith Abraham, No. 256, are also making arrangements for their annual ball which will be held some time in March.

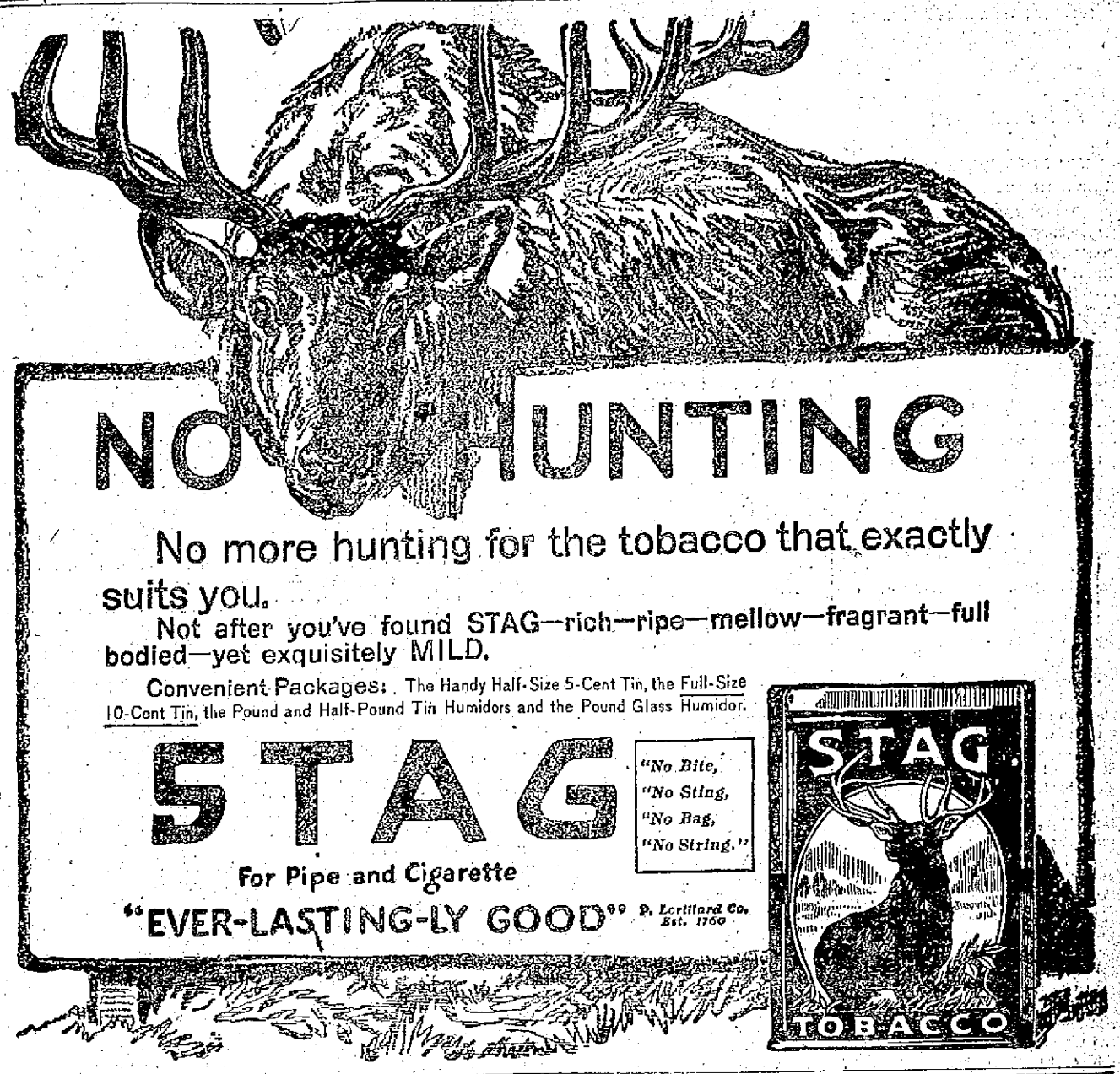
CHIMNEY FIRE

Hose 7 was called out at 11:10 this morning to a chimney fire in the Corbett building at the corner of Gorham and Winter streets. The chimney caught fire from sparks but the blaze was extinguished without any damage to the property.

GUNMAN IN NASHUA

A gunman entered Arthur M. Richard's store, 61 Ash street, Nashua, early Saturday evening, and with revolver pointed at Mr. Richard, took between $40 and $60 from the money drawer. Then he escaped.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.



LEADERS WON

Co. G. Defeated Co. C in All Departments of Armory Athletics

Company G strengthened its lead in the armory tournament last night by passing out a beating to Company C in every branch of their military athletics. The entire 12 points, for which the two teams played, were carried off by the G athletes.

C forfeited the basketball game and in its stead an exhibition game was staged by the G men and a picked team from the Lowell Military association. The G basket shooters were easy winners, making 36 points to their opponents' 9.

In the shooting G was ahead by a comfortable margin, 327 to 299 being the final score in this event. Lieut. Doyle's 72 was high. Musician Nault shot the best string for the losers.

On the alleys C was just as badly outclassed as in the shooting gallery. Every string went to G and the last box showed a 1303 to 1240 for the league leaders. Capt. Joyes' 278 was high. The scores of the various contests are as follows:

Shoot

COMPANY G

Lieut Waller	64
Private Duff	65
Corp. Murphy	68
Lieut. Doyle	72
Corp. Barry	60
Total	327

COMPANY C

Private Moir	46
Sergt Benoit	68
Musician Nault	67
Private McIlarr	58
Private Weiss	62
Total	299

Range officer, Lieut. Doyle.

Basketball

COMPANY G		COMPANY C
McGooklin rf		L. A. A. A. lb Mann
Gibson lf		rb O'Sullivan, Gleason
Barton c		c G. Lynch, Young
St. Peter rb		lf Hanson
Keeler lb		rf Hurley

Score: G 36, L. A. A. A. 9. Fouls: G, 6; L. A. A. A. 1. Baskets: McGooklin 11, Gibson 4, Barton 3, Mann, Gleason. Timer, Anderson. Scorer, Crowell.

Bowling

COMPANY G

	1	2	3	T'ls
Joyes	103	84	91	278
Green	81	76	88	245
Taylor	86	84	74	244
Loupret	89	85	97	271
Lyons	85	95	85	265
Totals	444	424	435	1303

COMPANY C

O'Brien	91	76	74	241
Stack	85	98	77	260
Sullivan	82	83	98	263
Murphy	85	76	79	240
Lalime	76	77	83	236
Totals	419	410	411	1240

BARACA LEAGUE

The standing of the teams in the Baraca league as well as the individual averages are as follows:

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Calvary Baptist	34	10	77.3
First Baptist	33	11	75.0
St. Paul Meth	26	18	59.1
Highland Meth	19	25	43.2
Immanuel Baptist	18	26	40.9
Trinitarian Cong	18	26	40.9
Swedish Meth	16	28	36.4
First Prim. Meth	12	32	27.3

Individual averages week ending Jan. 24:

Myrick 11, Moody 98, Turner 95, Perrin 95, Bowen 94, Harriman 94, W. Davis 94, Chapman 94, Burt 93, Whitelock 93, Shepard 92, Brown 93, B. Richardson 92, Herron 91, Gordon 91, Killpartrick 91, A. Willis 90, Dr. Davis 90, F. Schonhom 90, J. Richardson 90, Abbot 90, Holden 90, A. Mason 90, Hoban 90.

FACTORY LEAGUE

Tremont & Suffolk Rollers in Lead—Three Tied for Individual Honors Last night

The team standings and individual scores in the Manufacturers' league up to last Saturday are as follows:

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Tremont & Suffolk	10	2	83.3
Merrimacks	7	5	58.3
U. S. Cartridge	7	5	58.3
U. S. Bunting	7	5	58.3
Bigelow	6	6	50.0
Hamilton	5	7	41.7
Appleton	3	9	25.0
J. P. S.	3	9	25.0

Individual averages over 85:

F. O'Brien 92, Jim Manning 92, Singleton 92, Arnold 91, Lees 89, Burtt 89, Jodoin 89, Sweeney 89, McDermott 88, J. O'Brien 88, Fortier 88, Murphy 88, Herron 87, Gleason 87, Guirk 87, Lafleur 87, Armistead 86, C. Farrell 86, Mosher 86, Whalen 86, Haberman 86, Montgomery 86, Lane 85, Van Zant 85, Panton 85, Lane 85, Buckley 85, Jack Manning 85, Calvert 85, Hudson 85, Stack 85.

Meeting Friday night, Jan. 30, 1914.

BASKETBALL AT Y. M. C. I.

Tonight, in the Y. M. C. I. hall, the second of the series of basketball games and dances will take place, when the Belvidere aggregation will meet the strong C. M. A. C. team, which represents the club of that name from Pawtucketville. A record crowd is expected, for both teams have a large following. The crowds at the Y. M. C. I. are increasing each week which speaks well for the return of basketball in this city, and if the interest continues to increase the Belvidere club promises to furnish some rare sport for patrons of the game.

Dancing after the game, which was given a trial, was a big success last Tuesday, and it is the intention of the club to have dancing after the game every week from now on. Tonight music will be furnished by Clark's xylophone orchestra. The game will start promptly at 8 o'clock and dancing will be enjoyed from 9 until 12.

Basketball & dance, Y.M.C.I., tonight.

COLONIAL THEATRE

On Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week the Colonial will celebrate its second anniversary and special programs have been arranged, which will give to its patrons the finest shows ever seen in Lowell. Valuable souvenirs will also be given to ladies at matinees on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday and to children at Saturday matinee. Special music and soloists have also been engaged.

On Wednesday and Thursday Mr. Knapp has booked the famous high-class detective story, "Fantomas" or "The Man in Black"—a four reel feature of wonderful acting. Five other reels will be added to the show—making a show never to be forgotten by the people of Lowell. The Colonial has the envied reputation of producing the cleanest and clearest photoplays in the city.

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ZIESER SIGNS

Former Lowell Pitcher Sent in Signed Contract to Red Sox

Our old friend, Matty Zieser, has at last cast his lot with the Boston Red Sox and passed up the flattering offers made to him by the Federals. Matty signed up with the American leaguers yesterday or at least his contract was received by them late yesterday afternoon.

Matty feels very optimistic about his chances of sticking with the big show this season and only asks for some hot weather in which to work out his arm

MATTY ZIESER
Pitcher

on the spring training trip. Zieser always does more effective work when Old Sol is making life miserable for the bleacherites and if the Red Sox strike hot weather down south the chances are strongly in favor of the former Lowell pitcher making good from the start.

Many people are of the opinion that Zieser is an old timer in baseball from the fact that he stayed with the local team for the past several seasons. Matty, however, started his baseball career in 1911 with the Dubuque club of the Three I league and is only a youngster as baseball players go.

Lowell fans will always carry a warm spot in their hearts for Zieser. Not only was he a potent factor in the winning of this year's New England pennant but his work on the slab during the Hartford post-season series was one of the biggest features of the local team's win.

Zieser is a sidearm or "sidewheel" pitcher and has often made a joke of the fact. It is a fact that "sidewheelers" are seldom picked up by the majors but the splendid work of Zieser for the Lowell team impressed Scout Paiser Donovan so forcibly that he strongly recommended to Manager Bill Carrigan the drafting of the local pitching standby. Zieser's work during the training season will be watched with great interest by the local fans.

HOT CONTESTS

Some Fast Games Were Rolled Off Last Night—Leagues Were All Busy

The pin boys were busy in all the local alleys last night and many league games were rolled off. The Saco Lowell Bowling association dropped two games from their schedule as a result of last night's play.

In this league the Shop Five had no difficulty in taking all three strings and the total from the Office team winning by the score of 1366 to 1264. Martin put up the high total of 310 and the high string of 110. The Shippers won their contest from the Pattern Shop by the closest score of the evening but one pin separating the two aggregations at the conclusion of the roll.

The Immanuel Baptist quintet won their game from the First Primitive Methodist bowlers in the Baraca league by the score of 1385 to 1343. Whitelock of the winners took high honors with a total of 307 while Barris single of 113 was the best.

Over in Belvidere the Brownies showed up strong in their Concord league contest with the Fairmount Five. The score showed the Brownies a 1451 to 1369 winner. The score of the winners was the highest team total made last night. T. Clark was high with a single of 131 and a total of 311.

Two contests were played off in the Manufacturers' league. The Cutters took a game from the Toolers and the Bunting showed themselves superior to the Merrimack rollers. Lane and Buckley of the Buntings were tied for high total honors and Buckley carried off the league's single string with 100. The scores:

Office: Harrall, 269; Farrell, 256; Hammond, 235; Silcox, 259; Baker, 245; totals, 1264.

Shop: Linscott, 274; Curry, 275; Phaneuf, 244; Lane, 263; Martin, 310; totals, 1366.

Shippers: Bibeault, 263; Boardman, 258; O'Neil, 267; Welcome, 246; Monahan, 261; totals, 1295.

Pattern Shop: Thurber, 265; Shaw, 257; Goulart, 253; Grant, 268; Sharpe, 261; totals, 1394.

Immanuel Baptist: Pauly, 264; Bennett, 257; Whitelock, 307; A. Mason, 260; Gordon, 268; totals, 1356.

First Prim. Meth.: H. Mason, 246; Fielding, 267; Taylor, 288; Barris, 254; S. Willis, 298; totals, 1343.

Fairmounts: Lemire, 274; Gillis, 276; Roscoe, 260; McCaffrey, 249; A. Doyle, 301; totals, 1369.

Brownies: T. Clark, 311; F. Flinnerty, 294; Cooney, 264; Concannon, 284; P. Clark, 298; totals, 1451.

Merrimacks: Wallace, 237; Panton, 275; Fortier, 265; Herron, 261; Sweeney, 254; totals, 1292.

U. S. Bunting: Riley, 272; Smith, 263; Lane, 286; Buckley, 286; Burtt, 262; totals, 1365.

Toolers: Hughes, 241; Holmes, 200; Barber, 231; Bradbury, 254; Maguire, 242; totals, 1168.

Cutters: Lane, 247; Fletcher, 229; McElroy, 243; Ericson, 250; Ellis, 235; totals, 1204.

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TO PUNISH VIOLATORS

In the new anti-trust plans of President Wilson, one of the greatest departures from the old order in his announcement that he will not direct his energies to the punishment of previous violators of the Sherman anti-trust law but favors a policy that will punish those personally responsible for illegal monopoly in future—presumably by a prison sentence. For this purpose the new laws to be formulated and passed will have criminal provisions which were not included in the Sherman act.

This policy has been criticized in several quarters as being dangerous and reactionary. The danger that is anticipated consists largely in a hostile attitude of business leaders against the administration, but of this there can be little fear if we are to take the expressed approval of business for guidance. It ought to be sufficient to vindicate the government that the anti-trust methods of the Taft regime, which though active were inefficient, show unmistakably the need for some more practical method of dealing with violators of the anti-trust laws. Not even the leaders of the government suits against the Standard Oil and other big corporations were blinded into thinking that there was anything more than a fake submission to federal authority. Fines in cases of such violations as were proved against the ineffectually reformed companies are wholly inadequate; the Wilson plan of direct personal responsibility seems to be far the better way. If there is anything to be feared from possible business opposition, such opposition based on abused special privilege could not last long against federal adherence to the terms of the new law.

The absolution of business from past offences will bring about a spirit of greater co-operation, but there will be cases where the confidence of the government will be abused. Yet after the passage of the tariff and currency measures, there would be little good and much danger in raking over past records of business for the purpose of effecting prosecutions. The miracle of absolute compliance with the law is too much to expect, but to the credit of the administration it must be admitted that business has shown a better spirit towards the government than at any time during the last two administrations.

Though the government will not proceed against corporations and business firms for past violations of the law, it does not by any means remove from the offenders the stigma of the offence or protect them against the just law suits of individuals or other business firms. As a proof of what may be done in this regard is a pending suit by which the receivers of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad are bringing civil action against the men who were the directors of that system from December 1, 1909, to June 1, 1910, to recover the sum of $14,000,000. The suit is in accordance with recent instructions of Circuit Judge Walter H. Sanborn and gives as its ground of action that the men proceeded against "unlawfully, carelessly and negligently caused the Frisco to expend $14,408,921 . . . without receiving anything of value in exchange," and that "without lawful authority they caused a large debt to be created against the Frisco corporation."

If the stockholders can thus indirectly cause suits to be brought against wasteful hoards of directors and if the heads of business are made personally responsible for any tendency to monopoly in restraint of trade, it seems as though the law is being brought nearer to the people. There is nothing reactionary in this as it simply does away with the barriers of legal technicality that formerly obtruded itself between the offending firm and the principle of the Sherman anti-trust act.

GOVERNOR OR POLICE CHIEF

Just when the country was beginning to accept as final the news that Col. Goethals was to be the first governor of Panama comes the rumor that he has been selected by Mayor Mitchel to be the chief of the police forces of New York, and that there is every probability of his accepting the position. It is being hinted that the delay of the administration about settling the government of Panama on a permanent basis is responsible for his determination to become New York's police chief. Although there is no doubt that the conditions in New York call for a leader of the highest ability, and that the brilliant colonel has all the characteristics needed for the ideal man in the position, Panama is the place for him at the present time. The engineer who builds a great canal has ability of a kind that cannot be utilized at the head of a police department, and great though the demands are, the position is not worthy of such a phenomenally brilliant man as Mr. Goethals.

There can be but little truth in the rumor that the famed canal builder is selecting the New York position as a means to future political advancement, for his past actions show that he does not regard mere political preferment as desirable. It is perfectly natural that he should urge the government to settle the affairs of the Isthmus, for if the administration of affairs there is left in a state of confusion or placed in unworthy hands, the benefits of the canal will be minimized. The canal has made the new Panama and Goethals has made the great canal. He is the man for governor, and it will not be to the credit of the government if through procrastination or something less excusable he is permitted to become the head of the New York police department—great though the gain would be to the metropolis.

HOME RULE ASSURED

Throughout the strenuous home rule fight which has been waged in the British Isles for months past few of the leaders most interested have done more and said less than John E. Redmond, the brilliant leader of the nationalists. While Carson and Craig and O'Brien were pouring out passionate protestations and threats to the press of the world he has gone on solidifying his party, and attending to all the details of the fight which has meant so much for Ireland under his wise and prudent leadership. At critical times, however, he has given out messages notable for their optimism, prudence and moderation as well as for their eloquent patriotism. Such was his speech at Waterford on Sunday in which he said: "Every sane man knows that, bar accidents, the home rule bill will be the law of the land this year."

To those who sincerely or otherwise make the ridiculous proposition that the majority in Ireland should be guided by the uncompromising minority, Mr. Redmond made the following answer:

"If any change is made in the home rule bill, it will only be to buy the good will of our opponents. But I say frankly that I see no prospects of their good will being purchased at any price whatever. That good will is worth purchasing at a big price, but any change in the bill should be consistent with the unity of Ireland. There are no lengths short of abandonment of the principles you and I hold to which I would not go to win the confidence of the men of Ulster."

This has been his attitude from the first, for while he has gone more than half way in consenting to any reasonable measure that would placate the hostility of the Ulster malcontents, he has not for a moment consented to anything that would interfere with the national unity of Ireland.

SAFETY FIRST

The Sunday meeting of railroad men in Boston with its three thousand in attendance representing all grades of railroad men from the president of the road down to the oiler of the engine is significant of the great change that has come over the relationship of the railroads and the public and is representative of the policies that must be adopted before reconstruction sets in. At last in the department of safety to the public, technicalities have been set aside and the human element has entered in. There was no formal following of prosaic precedent, but in simple straightforward style Howard Elliott dealt with plain facts in plain language, urging the fullest co-operation between all classes of railroad employes and promising to be one of them in the great work of safeguarding the patrons of the railroad.

It now remains for the public to do its part in this as in all other matters affecting its relationship to the railroads. Too often in the past railroad wrecks and other accidents were dealt with as though the heads of the departments were indifferent or worse. In caricature, news item and editorial the railroad officials were represented as human monsters interested only in the financial aspects of their profession and utterly regardless of the feelings of those who had been afflicted in the many accidents of this part of the country. This attitude must be dispelled, and nothing will conduce more to this end than agitations of of the safety first idea such as that in Boston on Sunday. Not all the carelessness was with the road, and with the public discussion of the matter in all its phases, good is sure to follow.

THE IMMIGRATION BILL

Supporters of the new immigration bill with its literacy test clause such as was in the measure vetoed by President Taft, are urging its speedy discussion in congress. It is being argued, and wisely, that since the agitation of the matter throughout the nation such a short time ago, there is little need to educate the public, and the legislators in Washington have their minds fairly well made up on the matter. Among those who oppose the present bill, as in the case of the discarded one, are many who favor the restriction of immigration but who feel that the proper basis of selection should be a matter of character rather than education. At the present time the country can take care of all the healthy, law abiding immigrants who may wish to come, and there are great possibilities in their future service to the country if fostered by the government. Considering that the administration has been considering the question of better distribution of immigrants it is not probable that the president will favor the present bill. Even should it go through congress he will in all probability veto it as did President Taft.

A MUNICIPAL STORE

An offshoot of the public market plan has been put into operation in Chicago by the opening of a municipal store where groceries will be sold to the poor at cost. If successful, meats and clothing will be added to its stock and the people it is meant to benefit will be enabled to get more of the necessaries of life without being obliged to support the middleman. The market has been opened by the authority of the Chicago city council which recently appropriated $25,000 for the purpose. Though it is yet too early to predict the effect of the venture, many leading humanitarians in Chicago are giving it unreserved praise. The county agent who has been mostly responsible for the movement has declared that it is in no sense a charity institution but a means of teaching the poor economy by selling them necessaries of life at cost. If many agitations in this section will materialize we may see a general adoption of the municipal market idea nearer home than Chicago.

If you should want to see some of the hibernating loafers and near-criminals that infest the parks and playgrounds in the good old summer time you'll find them among those turned out of police court when some particularly notorious unfortunate is to be tried.

A western news item tells that during a third degree "performance" a faked "ghost" was ineffectual in trying to get a confession from an alleged murderer. Somebody should murder the third degree that would permit such revolting horrors.

Those visits to Boston may mean much and they may only lead the government a little further into the Hampton maze of Lowell finance. We do not yet see the Moses who is to lead them out.

Rev. Appleton Grannis has exploded some of the far fetched ideas of race uplift by showing that the damaged dramas leave behind them damaged morals and damaged pocketbooks.

Miss Lowell would look far prettier if she did not persist in wearing that unbecoming veil of smoke with her ermine wrap.

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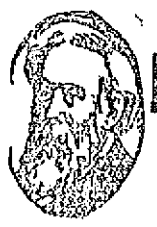

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Seen and Heard

There is a very worthy enterprise being promoted for the purpose of conserving and turning into commercial value the great waste that has been perpetrated throughout the pine forests of Georgia. The stumps and dead timber are by scientific process converted into rosin and turpentine. The enterprise in its infancy had its financial straits, and became embarrassed by debts. The receivers of the company, together with 85 per cent of its creditors, united in a bill petitioning that certificates be issued. To this only one small creditor objected. The federal district court for the southern district of Georgia allowed this small claim to be paid, and permitted the rest of the creditors to receive certificates, saying: "He has a very small regard for the day and time in which he lives who would refuse the opportunity to men when they wish to pay the privilege of expending their own money for continuing this demonstration and bringing to profitable fruition the labors which have been designed by the genius who discovered the process. I cannot find it in my heart to do this. * * * In a long judicial life never have I seen the promise of such amazing benefits in any project for the betterment of all before the court and the people at large." B. Dorchardt Co. v. Yaryan Naval Stores Co., 206 Federal Reporter, 366.

Turkeys and Thanksgiving to most stomachs are synonymous. The lordly cousin to the chicken is always interesting even to one who, in view of the high cost of living, may not be able to buy a last year's turkey's nest egg. Perhaps the learned judge in Lewis v. Norfolk Southern Railroad Company of North Carolina (supreme court of No. Carolina), 79 Southeastern Reporter, 253, was thinking of Thanksgiving, for he upheld the rights of turkeys with true Puritan valor. The defendant railroad company was sued for running down and killing six turkeys on its right of way. The court held that the company was negligent in not sounding the whistle when seeing the turkeys. (It might be suggested that the state prosecutes the railroad company for so wantonly destroying the resources of the country.) "From the known characteristics of turkeys, a flock of them feeding on or crossing a track might not notice that the train was approaching or attempt to fly. But, as when a gun is discharged close by, if there had been the sharp blow of the whistle, the turkeys would doubtless have taken to wing or have run. They are very timid if alarmed but they are not alert to perceive danger. * * * The jury would have been justified in inferring from the evidence that the failure to blow the whistle was the proximate cause of the turkeys being killed, and that they would have removed themselves promptly by flight if the whistle had been sharply blown."

In these days of "mud slinging" it might be interesting to note that the following was held not libelous per se in Walsh v. Pulitzer Publishing Company (Supreme Court of Missouri) 157 Southwestern Reporter, 326: "The mere candidacy of such a person as Walsh for such an office should fill the city with alarm. He has no qualifications for the place. His sponsors and his associates are survivors of the most degraded regime that St. Louis ever knew. He can have no proper motive in aspiring to the place." Walsh was seeking candidacy to the office of circuit attorney. The above was published concerning him. He sued for $25,000. The court decided that in as far as the words were not of themselves actionable without the statement of extrinsic allegations, which were not given, plaintiff has no cause of action. The court in part said: "The plaintiff is a lawyer, as is evident from his candidacy, and his reputation, even by the laity, is not rated or his character measured by the standing of his sponsors and associates, which we take to mean his clients. The doctrine of noscitur a sociis, which, liberally Englished, is not with seriousness applied to a lawyer who, if engaged in the criminal practice, may have a questionable class of clients, and yet suffer no discredit therefrom in the estimation of the public * * * While a candidate for a public office is not to be subjected to a discussion in the public press of his reputation or character at the expense of truth, for a lie is never privileged, it is the right and duty of a newspaper to discuss his fitness for the place he seeks in such a manner as to present the full facts to the electors either by contrast or comparison with other candidates, or by an analysis of his individual qualifications."

THE HOPELESS MAN

The world appeared to him to be
A dismal, dreary place;
He looked at all things gloomily,
A frown was on his face;
He lost his faith, he hoped no more
To see his fortunes rise;
To him existence was a bore—
He needed exercise.

He jumped at every sound and seemed
To be oppressed with fear;
He tossed in bed at night or dreamed
That foes were lurking near;
He saw no promise out ahead,
He shunned the good and wise,
And longed to be among the dead—
He needed exercise.

He got to thinking other men
Connived to do him wrong;
His heart was filled with terror when
He heard a clanging gong;
He lost the hope that he might win
A mansion in skies;
No poison oozed out through his skin—
He needed exercise.

—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Record-Herald.

MONEY

Drink; let the world drink with you;
Laugh, and you'll always have friends;
You're a good fellow when you've got money;
When you're broke—well, everything ends.

Sad? What do you want of sadness?
Grief? They have grief of their own.
But as long as you've got the money
You're as good as a king on his throne.

But don't let the old world annoy you,
Laugh and you'll still have some friends.
But stick to the cash when you get it;
When you're broke—well, everything ends.

TWO WOMEN AVOID OPERATIONS

By Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Chicago, Ill.—"I must thank you with all my heart for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I used to go to my doctor for pills and remedies and they did not help me. I had headaches and could not eat, and the doctor claimed I had female trouble and must have an operation. I read in the paper about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I have taken it and feel fine. A lady said one day, 'Oh, I feel so tired all the time and have headache.' I said, 'Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,' and she did and feels fine now."—Mrs. M. R. KARSCHNICK, 1438 N. Paulina Street, Chicago, Illinois.

The Other Case.

Dayton, Ohio.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound relieved me of pains in my side that I had for years and which doctors' medicines failed to relieve. It has certainly saved me from an operation. I will be glad to assist you by a personal letter to any woman in the same condition."—Mrs. J. W. SHERER, 126 Cass St., Dayton, Ohio.

For over thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has restored the health of thousands of women who have been troubled with such ailments as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, etc.

ST. MARGARET'S PARISH

TO HOLD JUNIOR PARTY—MEETING OF COMMITTEES LAST EVENING

The committee in charge of the junior party of St. Margaret's parish which will take place in Lincoln hall on the evening of Feb. 6, met last evening and received the reports of the various sub-committees. All indications point to a most successful occasion for the young people of the parish, realizing that the party is in an especial manner for them, have taken hold with a will, and consequently the tickets have sold rapidly.

When the primary arrangements were being made the young people in charge sought the assistance of experienced ladies, so added to the fresh zeal of the promoters of the affair is the wisdom of those who have been long identified with the social affairs of the parish.

A committee of the following ladies are seeing to it that nothing will be left undone, to make the evening of the 6th of February a most enjoyable one. Mrs. George B. Green, with whom the the idea of the junior party originated, is at the head of the ladies' committees.

Printing and music: Mrs. P. Gilbride, Mrs. Patrick Ryan, Mrs. W. W. Murphy.

Committee on refreshments: Mrs. John M. Murphy, Mrs. James F. Morrison, Mrs. Thomas Henry, Mrs. John Connor, Mrs. Agnes Coughlin, Mrs. Frank Campbell, Mrs. Dennis J. Cooney, Mrs. James B. Casey, Mrs. John Condon, Mrs. Wm. F. Daley, Mrs. Richard Donoghue, Mrs. George M. Harrigan, Mrs. Margaret M. Bagshaw, Mrs. Peter Conaton, Mrs. Henry Reynolds, Mrs. Daniel Shannahan, Mrs. Anthony A. Conway, Mrs. James Donovan.

Committee on decorations: Miss Sarah Hennessey, Miss Esther Green, Mrs. John Cunningham, Mrs. Edward Gallagher, Miss Mabel Cassidy, Miss Alice Doherty, Miss Esther Owens, Mrs. Chas. McCarthy.

General manager, Henry Mulcahy; assistant general manager, Chas Callahan. Floor director, Geo. Conley. Assistant floor director, Aloysius Green.

PAID BY NEW HAVEN

LAWYER ALBIN L. RICHARDS, FOURTH MEMBER OF WYMAN FAMILY, ON THE PAYROLL

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Albin L. Richards, a lawyer, formerly of the department of government at Harvard college, was on the New Haven payroll at $50 a day, receiving in all $2123, according to the testimony at the resumed hearings on New Haven expenses before the public service commission yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Richards is a brother-in-law of Prof. Bruce Wyman, formerly of the Harvard law school, who previously testified that he received $10,000 a year from the New Haven. Mr. Richards secured his employment with the New Haven through Ferdinand A. Wyman. Prof. Wyman's father, who himself was employed by the New Haven for $50 a day.

This testimony was given yesterday by Ferdinand A. Wyman, Jr., Prof. Wyman's brother, who himself told of receiving more than $600 from the New Haven for assisting his father in interviewing business men on matters of interest to the New Haven.

SIR EDWARD CARSON

REPLIES TO REDMOND IN A MORE PEACEABLE TONE THAN USUAL BUT INDEFINITELY

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Sir Edward Carson, leader of the Ulsterites, in a speech at Lincoln last night, said he was ready to join John Redmond, the Irish nationalist leader, in an attempt to extend real local government to Ireland or to remove any abuses or injustices, social or religious. Referring to Mr. Redmond's speech at Waterford on Sunday, he declared:

"If this is the last word from his side we are in a lamentable and critical state of affairs. I am a man of peace, but not of peace at any price."

In his speech Mr. Redmond said that if any change was made in the home rule bill it would only be to buy the good will of the opponents of the bill and he added that he saw no prospects of their good will being purchased at any price whatever.

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And with these a collection of fine diagonal coatings, until today sold up to $25. Now $17.50

Fine Overcoats

Chinchillas—Fancy overcoats, coatings and Meltons, sold for $18, $20, $22 and $25. Now $13.50

MANICURE GIRL SUES

BOSTON YOUNG WOMAN ASKS FOR $10,000 FROM INSURANCE AGENT IN LOST LOVE SUIT

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Emily R. Sampson, formerly a down town manicurist, yesterday entered a $10,000 attachment in a suit for breach of promise against Charles M. Estabrook, treasurer of the local agency of the Brotherhood Accident company.

Estabrook, who is not married, lives at 391 Ashmont street, Dorchester. He last night denied that the allegations of the manicurist were true.

"About a year ago I met this woman in a barber shop in the basement of 23 Exchange street," said Estabrook. "She was a manicurist, and I had my nails attended to.

"She has a husband living, from whom she is divorced for about a year."

"I have written no letters to the woman nor have I given her any presents. I shall fight the suit. She has sued me for $10,000, but she can't get blood out of a stone."

SUBSTITUTE FOR RADIUM

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Dr. Francis B. Donoghue of Boston, before the house mines committee yesterday urged that the committee include in any legislation for protecting the radium supply, "substitutes for radium."

He said that meso-thorium, a much cheaper product than radium, was equally effective.

TALLEST OF BOSTON COPS

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Boston has a new tallest policeman. The new record-holder, who is six feet, seven and one-half inches in height and weighs 263 pounds, is John J. Maloney, who until yesterday was a member of Fire Engine company 12 of Dudley street, Roxbury. He began his first tour of duty at the Hanover street station last night.

The Midnight Sun

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HOSPITAL SITE

Continued

vestigate this thing thoroughly before we go any further with it."

Hospital Without Cellar

Mayor Murphy called Com. Brown's attention to the fact that up to date hospitals are not provided with cellars and so far as the expense of the sewer was concerned the mayor thought that Mr. Brown had a rather exaggerated idea of it. "There's a sewer now extending to Dunbar avenue," said the mayor, "and that is very close to the land in question."

"I beg to differ with the mayor, there isn't any sewer extending to Dunbar avenue," said Mr. Brown. The commissioner allowed that an isolation hospital would have to be provided with a cellar and digging in that section, he said, would entail enormous cost.

Com. Morse wanted to know if the land in question had been looked over by last year's government and Com. Brown said that the council of last year visited the land. Mr. Morse said he knew it was a tough country up through there but he had his doubts about a half-mile or so of sewer costing half a million dollars.

Mr. Brown suggested that the engineer be called upon to furnish plans in order to give the council members a better idea of the location of the land in question, but the mayor said that inasmuch as the council had not taken any action in the matter, further than to receive and place the communications on file, it would be better for the council to investigate and talk the matter over later.

Don't Want Any Money

The mayor then read the following letter from the Trades & Labor council, breathing the spirit of co-operation:

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 24, 1914.
To His Honor, the Mayor, and Members of the Municipal Council.

Gentlemen:

For a number of years the Trades and Labor council of Lowell have celebrated Labor day by a parade in the morning, sports of various kinds on the South common in the afternoon and a grand labor demonstration and band concert in the evening.

The successful observance of the day has been due in a great measure, to the fact that we have received an appropriation of $1000 from the city government.

At a meeting of the council held Thursday evening, Jan. 22, 1914, the question of celebrating Labor day in the usual manner was discussed at considerable length. It was the unanimous opinion of the delegates that, owing to the city's financial condition at the present time, it would not be fair to ask for an appropriation this year, and it was unanimously voted that we dispense with the usual celebration this year, thereby saving to the city the $1000 usually appropriated for that day.

It was also voted to instruct the secretary to notify your honorable body to that effect.

Trusting that one year hence our city's financial condition will be such that we can again feel justified in asking for an appropriation, and wishing your government every success, I remain,

Respectfully yours,
Chas. E. Anderson, Secretary.

Mayor Murphy said it was very refreshing to receive such a letter and on motion of Commissioner Brown the city clerk was instructed to convey to the Trades and Labor council, by letter, the municipal council's appreciation of its attitude, co-operation and good wishes.

HOT TEA BREAKS A COLD—TRY THIS

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburg Brust Thee," at my pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.

It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.

FUNERAL NOTICE

MacCALLUM—The funeral of the late Mrs. Louise M. MacCallum will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 146 Aiken avenue. A solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERALS

WATTS—The funeral of Calvin M. Watts took place yesterday afternoon from the rooms of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons. Rev. C. E. Fisher officiating. The body was entombed at the Edson cemetery, awaiting relatives from the west. Arrangements were in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CARKIN—The funeral of Charles H. Carkin took place from the rooms of Undertakers J. B. Currier Co., 58 Prescott street yesterday afternoon, and was well attended. The services were conducted by Kirby Taylor of the Plymouth mission, Tyngsboro, and appropriate selections were sung. The sons acted as bearers and burial was in the family lot in Flint's corner cemetery, in Tyngsboro, where Mr. Taylor read the committal service at the grave. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers J. B. Currier Co.

JOHNSON—The funeral services of Miss Mary A. Johnson took place at the home of Mr. A. C. Blaisdell, at Wamesit, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Sarah A. Dixon, pastor of Tewksbury Congregational church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

CARKIN—The funeral of Charles H. Carkin, an aged resident of Worcester, was held from the rooms of Undertakers J. B. Currier & Co., Prescott street, yesterday at two o'clock. A large number of friends of the deceased listened to the reading of the funeral service by Kirby Taylor of the Plymouth mission, Tyngsboro, after which several beautiful hymns were sung. From the undertaking rooms the body was borne to the Flint's Corner cemetery, Tyngsboro, where after the committal prayers had been offered by Mr. Taylor, it was interred in the old family lot. The sons of Mr. Carkin acted as pallbearers.

PERRON—The funeral of Mrs. Joseph Perron took place this morning from her home, 307 West Sixth street. High mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Louis' church at 9 o'clock by Rev. J. B. Labossiere. The bearers were Amedee Caron, Albert Gendreau, Joseph Martin, Joseph and Frederick Gendreau and Anthime Bonin. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Amedee Archambault.

DEATHS

BALLOCK—Mrs. Elizabeth Ballock died Jan. 15 at her home, 21 Riddle avenue, Wilmington, Del., aged 39 years, 3 months. She was a former resident of Centralville, this city. Besides her husband, John Ballock, she leaves seven children, James, Jeanie, John, Violet, Edna, George and Jessie; her mother, Mrs. J. Muir of this city; five sisters, Sarah and Jessie Muir, Mrs. Thomas Ritchie, Mrs. James Dinwoodin and Mrs. William M. Kinley, the latter of Paisley, Scotland, and two brothers, James Muir of this city and John Muir of Norwich, Conn.

PARKER—Frederick H. Parker died yesterday afternoon at his home in Billerica Centre, aged 66 years. He leaves, besides his wife, Katherine G. Parker, two sons, Stephen H. and Gardner Parker, and two brothers, J. Nelson of Billerica and Frank W., of Otis, Me. Mr. Parker was a member of Thomas Talbot lodge of Masons; Shawsheen lodge, I. O. O. F.; Lowell council, S. Royal Arcanum, and the Billerica grange. He had been in business in Lowell and Billerica for the past 35 years.

MacCALLUM—Mrs. Louise M. MacCallum, wife of John E. MacCallum, and a much esteemed young woman, died yesterday at St. John's hospital, aged 30 years. Besides her husband, she leaves a daughter, Eveline; her parents, Joseph and Mary L. Leduc, and one brother, Henry. The body was taken to her home, 146 Aiken avenue.

WEBSTER—Enoch Webster died last night at his home, 333 Mammoth road, aged 82 years. Besides his wife, Nancy M., he leaves one son George W., of North Adams; one sister, Mrs. Caroline Moulton of Lowell; one granddaughter and one grandson. He was a well known veteran of the Civil war, having served in the 30th Massachusetts regiment.

LITCHFIELD—Hiram Litchfield, 69 years of age, of Somerville, died at his home yesterday of pneumonia. Mr. Litchfield was a member of the Spalding Light Cavalry association of Westford and attended the reunions of the association.

SAUVAGEAU—Eveline Sauvageau, aged 21 years and 8 months, a well-known resident of this city, died last night at her home, 65 Bowers street. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sauvageau; two brothers, Alfred and Odilon; six sisters, Regina, Beatrice, Blanche, Bertha and Ida of this city, and Alexina in Canada.

DESMARAIS—Raymond, aged 7 days died last night at the home of the parents, Hermenegilde and Antoinette Desmarais, 1 Pike block, Marshal street.

OLD FOLKS FIND NEW REMEDY RELIEVES ALL KIDNEY AND BLADDER MISERIES

Drives Rheumatic Pains Away, Relieves Backache and Bladder Disorders After a Few Doses Are Taken

Sleep disturbing bladder weaknesses, backache, rheumatism, and the many other kindred ailments which so commonly come with declining years, need no longer be a source of dread and misery to those who are past the middle age of life.

The new discovery, Croxone, overcomes all such disorders because it removes the very cause of the trouble. It soaks right into the kidneys, through the walls and linings; cleans out the little filtering glands and cells, and gives the kidneys new strength to do their work properly. It neutralizes and dissolves the poisonous uric acid substances that lodge in the joints and muscles, causing rheumatism; and makes the kidneys filter and sift out all the poisonous waste matter from the blood and drive it out of the system.

It matters not how old you are or how long you have suffered, Croxone is so prepared that it is practically impossible to take it into the human system without results. You will find it different from all other remedies. There is nothing else on earth like it. It starts to work immediately and more than a few doses are seldom required to relieve even the most chronic, obstinate cases.

It is the most wonderful remedy ever made for restoring the lifeless organs to health and strength and ridding the system of every particle of uric acid, and you can take it with the utmost confidence that nothing on earth will so quickly cure such conditions.

You can obtain an original package of Croxone at trifling cost from any first-class druggist. All druggists are authorized to personally return the purchase price if Croxone should fail in a single case.

No Hairy Growths After This Treatment

(Beauty Notes)

After much experimenting it has been found that delatone is as effective for removing hairy growths as the electric needle. And the argument in favor of the new method is that it is inexpensive, painless and takes little time. Here is the treatment: With powdered delatone and water mix enough paste to cover the undesirable hairs, apply and after two or three monutes rub off and with it comes every trace of hair. The skin should be washed to remove the remaining delatone.

The Pictures Are Before You—CHOOSE!

Take a good look at these pictures—they tell the story of TWO KINDS OF DENTISTRY. The right hand picture is of a woman being treated in the old, harsh method employed to this day by many dentists. Note the rigid position of the patient as she sits upright gripping the doctor's arm, hindering him in his work, and making her own pain necessarily greater. Every nerve in her body is on edge—every muscle tense—she is indeed the personification of fear and pain. THIS IS DENTISTRY AS I DO NOT DO IT.

Now turn to the picture on your left. Here you see restfulness and relaxation, a patient that feels no pain yet is in control of every other sense. She can talk and hear and watch the doctor, unhindered, do his very best work. This is an example of DENTISTRY AS I DO PRACTICE IT. This is what

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Now that you have seen the two pictures and know the story that they tell, it is up to you to CHOOSE if you have dental work to be done. Will you have pain and harsh treatment or will you have "Nap-A-Minit" and no pain at my offices? There is little doubt about your answer and when you come here you will find the greatest service and value-giving dental offices in New England.

Dr. A. J. Gagnon

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166 MERRIMACK STREET

CARPENTERS—PAINTERS

Continued

union painting contractor. The correspondence:

The Painters' Letter

Lowell, Jan. 20, 1914.

Mr. James E. Donnelly,

Dear Sir:—We have been given to understand that the general contract for the addition to the Greenhalge school has been let to the D. H. Walker Co., and that the sub-contract for the painting has not been let yet. If this is the case we would like to have you use your influence to have a union painting contractor get the job.

If you will make an appointment a committee from the union will be pleased to talk the matter over with you any time after next Thursday.

Thanking you in advance, I remain,

A. C. Barker, Sec. Local 39.

Mr. Donnelly's Reply

January 23, 1914.

Mr. A. C. Barker,
176 Crosby Street, City.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 20th inst. and confirming statement made to your committee this morning regarding the painting of the Greenhalge school addition, will say, that previous to assuming my present position as head of this department, this work had been mapped out by my predecessor and it was definitely decided that the painters employed by this department would do this work.

I cannot see any reason why this should not be my course, for the reason that the painters employed are first class workmen and it is my intention to employ only union men on this job.

The annual appropriation for this department is small for the amount of property that must be cared for and the number of men employed. We must, therefore, take advantage of special appropriations and employ our own men on work of this kind whenever they can be worked to advantage. I believe in giving men steady employment if it is possible to do so but I cannot do this if work that can be done by employes of this department be let out by contract. A job like this will give the men two or three weeks' work which they would otherwise lose.

I also feel that tradesmen employed in this department should receive the same wages and work the same number of hours as those employed by local contractors. In my estimate of the cost of maintaining this department for the year I have figured on paying the union scale and if this department receives a sufficient appropriation to enable me to do this you may rest assured that the employes thereof will receive union wages and work union hours.

Sincerely yours,

James E. Donnelly,
Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses.

The Carpenters' Letter

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 26, 1914.

Mr. James E. Donnelly, Commissioner of Public Buildings.

Dear Sir: At a recent meeting of the Carpenters District Council it was voted unanimously to ask your co-operation to put the men in your employ on a forty-four (44) hour basis and 45 cents an hour.

We believe that this rule should go into effect for the reasons that the carpenters about the city have been getting these conditions for the past two years and we believe that the city should be the one to take the lead in giving their employes the better conditions.

We send the request at this time so that you can add to your appropriation the necessary sum to comply with this request.

Should you desire more information on this matter our committee stands ready to appear before you at any time that you may state. Trusting you will give this communication due consideration, we beg to remain,

Sincerely yours,

Carpenters, D. C.
Joseph A. Pion, for the committee.

Mr. Donnelly's Reply

Jan. 27, 1914.

Mr. Joseph A. Pion, Secretary, Carpenters Union, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir: In answer to your letter of the 26th instant, will say that my reply to your union will be practically the same as that made recently to the Painters' union; namely, that I feel that tradesmen employed in this department should receive the same wages and work the same hours as those employed by local contractors.

In making up my estimate for the year I anticipated your request and therefore figured accordingly. If this department receives a fair appropriation, the men of your craft employed herein will certainly receive union wages and work union hours.

Sincerely yours,

James E. Donnelly,
Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses.

TALBOT CLUB DANCE

EMPLOYES OF CLOTHING STORES HELD SECOND ANNUAL DANCE IN BOSTON LAST NIGHT

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—The Talbot club, composed of employes of the Talbot Clothing stores in Boston, Lowell, Fall River, Providence, Taunton and other New England cities, held an annual ball in Howe hall, Huntington avenue, last evening.

The affair was the second of its kind to be held by the club. Last year 150 couples were present, but this year showed a decided increase and more than 300 couples were present. Providence sent the largest delegation of any of the out-of-town stores. More than 50 people were present from that city. Fall River sent 10, New Bedford 6 and Newport 4.

The invited guests were Mrs. G. N. Talbot, the wife of the president of the Talbot company, who is now in Florida; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Macomber of Waverley, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Talbot and Max Talbot. Mrs. G. N. Talbot was presented a large floral offering by the employes shortly after the dance got under way. A unique feature of the dance was that the crowd all joined in singing the latest songs of the day between the various dances.

BOUND AND LEFT TO DIE

NORTH ADAMS, Jan. 27.—Medical Examiner O. J. Brown began an investigation yesterday of the alleged death-bed statement of Simeon Baraxnoic that he had been bound, robbed and left to die in a burning hut at Somerset, Vt. Baraxnoic died at the North Adams hospital today.

GENT'S WATCH LOST; 17 JEWELS, gold filled, had no chain ring on it; inscription on the inside, T. J. O'Connor; lost between Mansur and Concord sts., by way of Nesmith, Chestnut and Fayette sts. Finder please return to 34 Agawam st. and receive reward.

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LIKE CUT $1.95 | LIKE CUT $2.95 | LIKE CUT $3.95

3500 Tub Dresses

Being offered you today at price reductions over what you will pay six weeks hence. Hundreds are taking advantage of the opportunity to get a dress made to measure. No extra charge.

Lot 1— 95c
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Fine Renfrew and Amoskeag Ginghams and Chambrays Only Used.

Children's $1.50 Dresses..... 95c
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25 DOZEN APRONS

A large roomy apron is a house necessity,

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Neat patterns in percale.

Come in today and see the dresses we are making on the premises. It gives you an insight as to why such fine dresses can be sold so cheap.

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CHERRY & WEBB 12-18 JOHN STREET

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THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

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NOW ON SALE ABOUT

300 White Bed Spreads

AT COST AND BELOW COST

Just received from the manufacturer about 300 White Bed Spreads, odd lots of fine satin finish spreads, all firsts, at a big discount from regular price.

25 Fine Satin Finish Spreads, good quality, full size, new design, hemmed, $2.50 value. For this lot only.....$1.85

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40 Full Size Satin Finish White Spreads, very fine quality, in new designs, embroidered edge and cut corners, $4.00 value. Special price for this lot.....$2.75

60 Colored Crochet Spreads, good quality, blue and pink, $1.25 value, at.....85c Each

150 Street Horse Blankets

NOW MARKED DOWN BELOW COST

To close about 150 Heavy Wool Street Blankets, in stripes and checks, large and medium size, $3.00 and $4.00 blankets. All at one price.....$2.50

Come early as this lot will not last long as such a good bargain is seldom offered.

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DOCTOR'S DAUGHTER Stomach-Rite Tablets

For the cure of Indigestion, Gas, Dyspepsia, Intestinal Indigestion, Sourness of Stomach, Torpid Liver, Constipation, Heart-Pressure, Biliousness, Bloating, Vertigo, Headache, Catarrh of Stomach, Drowsiness, Tired Feeling, Nervous Indigestion, Liver Spots and all forms of Stomach and Liver Trouble.

Indigestion and Constipation Go Hand In Hand

WHAT YOUR NEIGHBORS SAY OF STOMACH-RITE

Suffered From Infancy

Dear Doctor's Daughter:
I am writing to say that your Stomach-Rite has been used most successfully in my family. My son was afflicted with gastritis from almost his infancy, so badly that in frequent attacks every muscle of the body would stiffen. Several physicians prescribed for him to no avail, but in the use of Stomach-Rite tablets we believe we have found a complete cure, as he has not had an attack for over four months.
Sincerely,
GEORGE SWEET,
41 Bowdoin st., Boston, Mass.

Stomach and Liver Trouble

Dear Doctor's Daughter:
I have had dyspepsia for several years and suffered terribly, and nothing has done for me what your Stomach-Rite tablets have done. I also had a liver trouble, and cannot say enough in praise for your medicine. Thanking you many times, I am, truly yours,
ALBERT WOOD,
51 Gray st., Boston, Mass.

Cured Him

Dear Doctor's Daughter:
I have suffered for years with a distressing stomach cough. Stomach-Rite tablets have cured me of it, and I can heartily recommend them to any one with a stomach trouble.
Respectfully,
ANTHONY HENNESSEY,
194 Middle st., Lowell, Mass.

Cured of Indigestion and Constipation

Dear Doctor's Daughter:
I must tell you how thankful I am to you for helping me. I had indigestion, accompanied by a sour stomach, headache and constipation. I took only two boxes of your Stomach-Rite tablets and feel that I am entirely cured.
Yours truly,
MRS. A. J. ELLIOTT,
3 Washington st., Hanson, Mass.

BUY A BOX TODAY AND JUST ONE TABLET WILL CONVINCE YOU
FIRST CLASS DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

GEO. H. WOOD'S Annual CLEARANCE SALE

Now is the time to buy a Watch. Don't hesitate. Remember you can buy a Ladies' Solid Gold Watch as cheap as you can gold filled at this sale, and this is the season of the year that you can spend a dollar and make it purchase as much as two dollars at some other time. We are making a special effort to create a big watch sale, and if low prices and big values will attract attention we ought to be successful.

G. H. WOOD, Central St., Opp. American House

GIRL IS MISSING

State-Wide Search for Eleanor Arlin, Brookline Stenographer

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—The police of Worcester yesterday joined the state-wide search that is being made for Miss Eleanor Arlin, the missing Brookline stenographer. A nervous, distracted young woman, answering closely the description sent broadcast of the Arlin girl, was seen in that city Wednesday by men and women who have since reported their suspicions to the police.

Mrs. Jane Arlin, the girl's mother, returned to her home in Colebrook, N. H., last night, convinced that her daughter is either a suicide or in the hands of white slavers. Neighbors and friends gathered at the Arlin home to hear the latest news of the hunt that has been instituted for the former Colebrook belle.

The only clues since Miss Arlin left her boarding house in Brookline, Jan. 5, were the reports that came from Worcester last night. At least four people have come forward with stories of a woman who acted peculiarly and sought work at various employment agencies.

Fred Souda, manager of a candy store at 121 Main street, said that the strange young woman entered the store Wednesday and again Thursday. Mrs. Mulvey, who conducts an employment agency, describes the same woman and tells how she asked for work as a waitress. The proprietor of a novelty company opposite the candy store tells of several mysterious toll calls which the young woman made.

Uncle Offers Reward

Two uncles of Eleanor Arlin, who live in Colebrook, have offered $100 reward for information leading to her return home. They are Reuben and Henry Gould.

Miss Marion Brown of Newton Center, a chum and the closest friend of the missing stenographer, denied last night that Eleanor was in love with any man. "I would know," she said, "as I was always in her confidence.

"The girl was a complete wreck from sleeplessness, caused by too close application to figures in her work. She was to have gone away for a vacation Jan. 10, and had been given a leave of absence."

According to Miss Arlin's Colebrook relatives, she was 25 years old Saturday. Arrangements had been made for a little celebration in honor of her birthday, in the belief that she would return to her mother's home during her vacation holidays.

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

LETTER BY GEN. U. S. GRANT

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The letter written by General U. S. Grant to his father in which he announced his determination to enlist was sold here yesterday for $910.

INDIGESTION, GAS OR SICK, SOUR STOMACH

Time "Pape's Diapepsin! In Five Minutes All Stomach Misery is Gone.

"Really does" put bad stomachs in order—"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes—that—just that—makes Pape's Diapepsin the largest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food and acid; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy in its harmlessness.

A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin will give you a hundred dollars' worth of satisfaction or your druggist hands you your money back.

It's worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or at night. It's the quickest, surest and most harmless stomach doctor in the world.

25,000 MEN IDLE

Gov. Johnson of California Denounces I. W. W., "and Agitators"

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 27.—"The line must be drawn between the man really wanting work and the few leaders who preach the tenets of the Industrial Workers of the World, who neither wish work for themselves nor desire employment for others, and who preach an anarchistic doctrine at variance with organized government," said Gov. Hiram Johnson yesterday on receiving the report of State Labor Commissioner John McLaughlin on the condition of the unemployed in California and the need of extending state aid.

McLaughlin's report showed that there were 25,000 idle men in San Francisco at the time of his investigation, the first week in January, only 3000 or 4000 of whom were in need of assistance. Thousands were living off their savings of last summer and autumn.

The commissioner contends that California always will be the dumping ground for workmen coming from other states to escape the colder climates. He says that any action by the state to support or maintain those out of work would only increase the problem, for thousands would flock to the state to live in idleness.

After receiving the report, Governor Johnson issued a statement, pledging the aid of the state to alleviate distress, but denouncing "professional agitators."

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

PIPES ARE BANISHED

ONLY CIGARS AND CIGARETS ALLOWED IN THE MOST OF BOSTON'S BEST HOTELS

BOSTON, Jan. 27—Cigars and cigarets are welcome, but the pipe of Sir Walter Raleigh, Sir Walter Scott, Arthur D. Hill, Bismarck and many other famous men is now banned in the most of Boston's best hotels.

Yesterday the cinches were tightened a bit on the anti-pipe regulation in a well known down town hostelry, which accentuates the fact that there are now few really first class hotels in the city where one may smoke the pipe of peace and consolation in the lobby.

Friends of the briar, meerschaum, clay and other varieties of the pipe argue that a sweet pipe is much to be preferred to a poor cigaret or cigar. But the various hotel managers, perhaps with an eye to the greater profit in the sale of cigars and cigarets, say that the pipe must go.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETING

Held in Tewksbury Church last Evening Rev. Carl Stackman of Lawrence Was Heard

The regular meeting of the members of the Lowell Christian Endeavor union was held last night at the Tewksbury Congregational church with a large attendance. The affair consisted of a bountiful supper, musical numbers and a business session.

The meeting was presided over by President Walter A. Chase and various reports were read. A fine address on "Christian Endeavor Week, February 1-8" was delivered by Rev. Carl Stackman, of Lawrence, who also officiated at the installation of officers. The roll call showed that 142 members representing 16 societies were present at the meeting. Considerable business was transacted and the meeting adjourned at a seasonable hour.

FOR FROST BITES AND CHAPPED SKIN

For frost bitten ears, fingers and toes; chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold sores, red and rough skins, there is nothing to equal Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Stops the pain at once and heals quickly. In every home there should be a box handy all the time. Best remedy for all skin diseases, itching eczema, tetter, piles, etc. 25c. All druggists or by mail. H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.

CASE OF OFFICER MAHAN

TESTIMONY CLOSED, ARGUMENTS MADE, AND CASE TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT

The hearing of Patrolman Mahan was brought to a close last night at the third session in the special court room at the police building on the complaint charging him with a violation of Rule 19 of the police manual in that he drank intoxicating liquors while on duty, used vile and profane language against one Michael Malowtez, and pushed one Annie Sokolowski so violently that she fell to the floor.

The session held last night was the shortest of the three. The only evidence offered before the special board, comprising Captain Atkinson and Sergeants Duncan and Maguire, was that of Stella Ross, which was taken at the girl's home, 188 Church street, by the stenographer of the police department in the presence of Sergeants Duncan and Maguire.

In substance the statement ran as follows: On the Sunday night in question Officer Mahan came to the house in East Merrimack street, where the trouble occurred, in uniform and went into a side room. He stayed but a few minutes. Later he returned in plain clothes and drank two glasses of beer. She told the patrolman how she was being abused by her father and stepmother and asked to be taken from the house. Officer Mahan started to accompany her from the house when the Sokolowski woman stepped in front of him. He then gave the woman a shove and she fell against a table. At this point in the proceedings Officer Maloney appeared on the scene and ordered his brother officer to leave the premises.

The girl said that there was no dancing in the house when the officer first arrived and that there was no trouble until he had come. Witness said she knew the officer and had seen him at other Polish festivities. She further stated that she heard him swear at Mrs. Sokolowski and also at Malowicz. She saw no bottles thrown but did see a beer glass or two go flying through the air. The girl drank but two glasses of lager beer.

Directly as the evidence was completed Lawyer William A. Hogan entered into a lengthy plea for the defendant. He went into both sides of the case in detail and touched upon all of the evidence. The attorney endeavored to show contradictions in the testimony of the prosecution's witnesses and asked that the defendant be found not guilty of the charges brought against him.

Superintendent Welsh stated, before he summed up the government's side of the case, that it was not his wish to prosecute Officer Mahan or any other member of the department but as head of the police department it devolved upon him to take charge of the prosecution. The people of Lowell, he said, looked to the police officers as their guardians and as men who can be relied upon to do the proper thing under the most trying circumstances and environments. It was his desire, as well as his duty, said the supt., to see that every patrolman as well as superior officer, lived up to the rules laid down in the police manual. In conclusion he asked the board to consider the evidence placed before them without haste and with due regard to every detail of the testimony, and to render a decision which would help in establishing and maintaining order and discipline in the department.

The board took the case under advisement and will make a report of its finding to Mayor Murphy at an early date.

REV. MR. BISHOP RESIGNS

To Accept a Pastorate in Caribou, Me. His Departure is Much Regretted by Parishioners

Rev. H. H. Bishop, who for a number of years had served as pastor of the Baptist church in North Tewksbury has accepted the pastorate of the Baptist church in Caribou, Me. and his resignation from the pulpit of the Tewksbury church was accepted Sunday, but with much regret, for the reverend gentleman was held in high esteem and loved by all members of his flock.

3700 CHARITABLE SOCIETIES

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—According to the New York charities directory for 1914 just issued there are 3700 charitable and religious organizations in this city, one-half of them churches.

The oldest organization listed in the book is the society of the New York hospital, founded in 1771.

WANTS OWN STATUE ACCEPTED

WILKESBARRE, Penn., Jan. 27.—John Jay McDevitt, who parted with $2500 in a single day when he played "millionaire for a day," and tried to blaze up old Broadway, has sold the history of his life, and with the $5000 which it has brought him has bought a statue of himself and will hire a special train and leave here Tuesday, Feb. 3, to ask congress to accept the statue and place it in the Capitol at Washington.

FOR CITY SEALERS

The civil service commission announces a competitive examination for the position of assistant sealer of weights and measures in this city, at a salary of $15 per week, which will be held on Feb. 12.

There is one vacancy. From the eligible list established by this examination, names will be certified to fill the position and similar vacancies as they may occur.

The examination will include the following subjects: Arithmetic, letter-writing, handwriting, a sworn statement of training and experience, and knowledge of laws governing inspection of weights and measures.

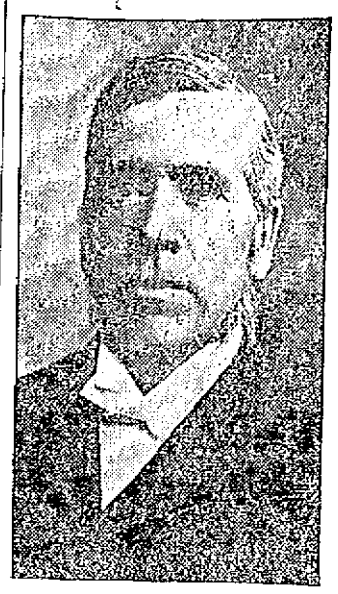
Only citizens of the United States who have been residents of Massachusetts for the past year, and of Lowell for the six months last past, have a right to apply. Successful applicants will be subjected to a physical examination.

Blank applications may be obtained by applying in person or by mail to the Civil Service commission, State House, Boston, or from James H. Carmichael, civil service representative in Lowell. Applications should be filed out at once.

GREAT GOLFER COMING

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 27.—Ben Sayres, for more than 40 years a prominent figure in British golf, is coming to America in May or June. Sayres, who was instructor to the late King Edward, plans to visit Philadelphia first to see his son. The two will play a few exhibitions and may take a trip through the central states.

CLAN GRANT BANQUET



REV. J. M. CRAIG
Who Spoke on the Memory of Burns

ALEXANDER RAY
President Clan Grant

In Celebration of the 155th Anniversary of Robert Burns—Interesting Addresses Delivered

The man who sat down with the sturdy Scotch of Clan Grant 141 O. S. C. who gathered in Grafton hall with their wives, sweethearts, and friends to honor the memory of Robert Burns last evening took a trip to bonnie Scotland in imagination for the songs, speeches, music and even the menu were redolent of "the land of the mountain and the flood." If one doubts the hold that the sweet poet of Ayr has on the Scotch imagination all doubts would be set at rest by the depth of the emotions stirred up in the hearts of those present by every mention of their beloved poet. If the spirit of Burns peeped in from the frosty air without, he realized that he was with his nin folks. All present acted the part described so aptly in the little quotation from Burns on the menu:

"The storm without micht roar an' rustle
We dinna mind the storm a whustle."

In the early part of the evening the members of Clan Grant and their friends gathered in Merrimack hall up stairs and waited until all were assembled. About 8 p. m. they marched two by two to the banquet hall where the tables were spread invitingly with dishes of Scotch flavor. Tables had been set for about 150, but practically 50 more had come, so that many had to wait until the first diners had completed their three rounds. The formal program did not begin until the tables were cleared; but many were the reminiscences exchanged of early days in the highlands and lowlands, by Loch Lamond and Ben Nevis and the banks an' braes o' bonnie Doon. The delightful Scotch accent was heard on all sides, and the plaids of the officers of Clan Grant gave the unmistakable atmosphere of the land of Burns.

When the diners had taken their drapple o' guid coffee to wash a' doon, Chief Alex Ray extended a hearty welcome and spoke eloquently in praise of Burns, as follows:

Invited guests, ladies and gentlemen: I extend to you in behalf of Clan Grant a royal welcome to this the 155th anniversary of Robert Burns. From the snow-blocked passes of Alaska to the sunny strands of India—wherever Scotchmen gather at this time of the year they honor the memory of Robert Burns—not only Scotchmen, but all lovers of humanity.

The world has given us great minds and poets; but not since the days of the lowly born carpenter of Nazareth, when He gave us the message of love on the Mount of Olives, has there been one who struck the heart chords of the people as did Robert Burns. Lover of country, of independence and liberty, lover of all men and womankind, his heart was filled with the love of God and good will to all creation. Lover of nature and all things animate or inanimate. Nothing so lowly but that his love could immortalize. The beasts of the fields, the flowers we trample beneath our feet, even the bruised and broken ones inspired him—even the devil himself touched his heart with pity, and he prayed for his redemption.

Oh wad ye tak a thought o' men
I'm wae to think upon yon den
E'en for your sake!

He did not believe in the survival of the fittest. He believed in trying to raise the weak and the fallen and unfortunate.

"A man's a man for a' that."

Humanity the world over walks more erect for what Robert Burns sang and said.

Following the address of Mr. Ray, Mr. Warren T. Reid sang "There Was a Lad," in splendid style. He was roundly applauded and as an encore sang a Jacobite ballad of Prince Charlie.

Rev. N. W. Matthews

Rev. N. W. Matthews responded to the toast: "The Land We Left." His fine address was, in part as follows: I wish to express my appreciation of the invitation to be here to celebrate with you the birthday anniversary of Scotland's immortal bard—Bobbie Burns. He belongs indeed to Scotland, but his sway is far broader; he belongs to the world, which has placed him in her gallery of sweetest singers. When we open his magic page and see the strength, pathos and sweetness of his interpretation of human life, when we feel the thrills induced by his genius, we are better men and women.

To ask a man to speak about Scotland in five, ten or twenty minutes is like asking him to put four quarts of water into a pint measure. There is far too much in that little territory for any man to sum up briefly. So rich is it in beauty, so replete with historic lore, so notable in achievement that no Scotchman living need feel ashamed to say that he was born in Scotland. I say this considering its history from the beginning and basing it on what I have read and what I know of the Scotch people. The people of Scotland love their land and it is well for love of country is deep in us, as we come from the hands of the Creator; it is a principle that we can never eradicate. We may swear allegiance to other countries and other flags, but memory will be back to our native land, and our love for it can never be crowded out. In this great republic under the western sky with its manifold beauties, resources and opportunities, all peoples will sing the ballads of the old land and singing them will feel greater love for the land of their adoption.

Rev. Mr. Matthews then dwelt on many episodes of Scotch history from the earliest times to the present. He also said that he considers the sturdy, rugged character of its people due in great measure to the nature of its scenery. He spoke of the early tribulations of the Scotch people, of their political history, of their struggles for liberty, and he said that they have given to the world unsurpassed heroes in all that concerned liberty and the redemption of the world.

Miss Bessie Watters touched all hearts by her sympathetic singing of "The Star o' Robbie Burns."

Mayor Murphy

Mayor Dennis J. Murphy responded to the toast, "The City of Lowell." He said that among those present were many whom he had met on the steamers in Boston when in the capacity of guide for his father, he used to go to meet the incoming immigrants. "I am delighted," he said, "to be here to help you celebrate this great occasion. It is needless for me to tell you of the great qualities of the poet. I am glad to do him honor. It is well for all peoples in this country to get together occasionally to celebrate their heroes whether in literature or patriotism or the arts. It is the proud privilege of all to love their fatherland. We need men such as you in the community and in every community—men of thrift, decency, law and order.

Mayor Murphy asked those present to support the government and he assured them that he is not the mayor of any section or of any people but of all the people. He wound up by quoting the tribute written for this anniversary of Burns by Robert Bridges the English poet laureate.

Mr. Warren T. Reid and Miss Bessie Watters were heard in the delightful duet "Crookit Bawbee," and Mr. Reid sang "The Lea Rig" with the same good taste displayed in his other selections.

Rev. Mr. Craig

Rev. J. M. Craig spoke on the toast; "Immortal memory of Robert Burns." Owing to the lateness of the hour, he spoke more briefly than he had intended but his speech made up in earnestness and eloquence what it lacked in length. "I have been exceedingly interested," he said, "in the things that have been said and the songs that have been sung about Scotland, because I was born there. What is the secret of Scotch achievement in literature, the arts, logic, philosophy, history, poetry? Their educational system, which blends cultivation of character with cultivation of mind. There was a time when the Scotch were low like all nations of Europe. All at once schools were established, and without much change they stand today as a model. The character of the people was moulded by the schools of Scotland and their devoted teachers, old shepherds, rough in garments and rude in expression but with disciplined hearts and well stored minds. Grounded in the principles of education and righteousness by men such as this the people of the little country in the north of Great Britain have gone forth throughout the world and taken their place as leaders.

Back of Burns with his power to touch and stir human nature were generations of sturdy men. I know the criticisms of him, but I judge him by his time, his environment, his struggles, his poetry. The man who ploughed up a little daisy on the uplands and wrote so beautifully on it could not have been bad. The tenderness and sweetness of his lines to a field mouse and the other beautiful poems speak of a heart that loved God and goodness. Could a man have written "The Cotter's Saturday Night" and be an atheist? Can a door be open and shut at the same time? We have not yet measured Burns because our measures are too small, but we may well say: "His memory is immortal."

After Miss Bessie Watters had sung "My Ain Folks" the entire company rose and with joined hands sang that song of Scotland and the world: "Auld Lang Syne." The party then adjourned to the upper hall where dancing was enjoyed until 1 a. m. It was a truly Scotch evening worthy of the kindly people who enjoyed it and of their great poet Robert Burns.

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ASK $16,700,000

For the Maintenance of the Chicago Public Schools for 1914

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—The cost of maintaining Chicago's public schools for 1914 is placed at $16,700,000, according to the budget issued today.

CHINESE PAINTINGS

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—A collection of Chinese paintings which, according to Dr. John C. Ferguson includes more important examples of Chinese paintings than have ever before been brought together were put on view today in the Metropolitan Museum of Art. The pictures were acquired by the museum through Dr. Ferguson, who spent 27 years in China.

MATRIMONIAL

The marriage of Mr. Walter F. McGrath and Miss Sarah Kelcher was performed at St. Michael's rectory yesterday by Rev. Francis Mullin. The couple were attended by Miss Agnes M. Finn and Mr. Leo J. Rollins, who acted as bridesmaid and best man. After Feb. 1 the happy couple will be at home to their friends at 21 Coburn street.

MacKENZIE—WHITE

Mr. Harlan Roderick MacKenzie of Fitchburg and Miss Gladys Elizabeth White of Leominster were married yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Washburn in Pine street. The bride was attended by Miss Lucille Washburn of this city as maid of honor, and by Miss Ruth Munroe of Leominster as bridemaid, while the best man was Mr. Frank Drummond of Fitchburg. The officiating clergyman was Rev. J. B. Kettle of Leominster. Mr. and Mrs. MacKenzie after a brief honeyhoon trip will make their home at Fitchburg, where the bridgroom is secretary of the boys' work at the Y. M. C. A.

The public service commission of Boston, yesterday, notified Senator Edward Fisher, president of the board of trade of Westford, that there would not be any discontinuance of B. & M. trains on the Stony Brook branch between Ayer and Lowell, and Lowell and Salem. This statement was given to the public service commission by the railroad officials. When it became known that the railroad was planning to discontinue the early morning and noon trains a great big howl went up from this city as well as from Westford and other places. The matter was reported to the public service commission and a hearing was scheduled for Wednesday of this week, but was called off when it became known that the railroad had reconsidered the matter had decided to allow the schedule to remain unchanged.

A CARD

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F. P. Moody	N. Pelkes
Carleton & Hovey	

GREAT LIBERATOR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The United States of Colombia will do great honor to the memory of Alexander MacAuley next Saturday, the 100th anniversary of his death at the town of Popayan at the hands of the Spaniards. MacAuley had cast his lot with the native Colombians who were then in revolt against the parent state. His memory is cherished as a great liberator.

The Middlesex street and Fletcher street grade crossing problem was discussed at a meeting of the executive committee of the Lowell board of trade yesterday. The matter is to be given a hearing by the special commission on Feb. 11. The highway, transportation and municipal affairs committee of the board of trade will be asked to take up the matter sitting as a joint committee with the executive committee.

FOR BED SORES

Mrs. Geo. Fields, a trained nurse of Canton, N. Y., says: "I use Comfort Powder for bed sores with great success. It is a 'skin healing wonder.' The genuine bears the signature of E. S. Sykes on the box.

RED LETTER DAY

And Wednesday Stamp Specials

100 Stamps with can Ba. Fdr. 50c
100 Stamps with 1 lb. Special Blend Tea 60c
50 Stamps with 1 Bag Flour 80c
50 Stamps with 1 lb. New Crop Tea 50c
20 Stamps with 1 lb. Coffee 35c
20 Stamps with 1 can Dutch Cocoa 25c
10 Stamps with 1 bag Salt 10c
10 Stamps with 1 Bag Rice 10c
10 Stamps with package Lump Starch 10c
10 Stamps with package Corn Starch 10c
10 Stamps with Spices 10c
10 Stamps with Extracts 10c
10 Stamps with can Cleanser 10c
10 Stamps with Bottle Bluing 10c
10 Stamps with Macaroni 10c
5 Stamps with package Matches 10c
5 Stamps with 2 packages Saleratus 10c
5 Stamps with can Cocoa 10c
5 Stamps with package Tapioca 10c
5 Stamps with 3 packages Tryphosa 25c
5 Stamps with 3 packages Lipton's Jelly 25c
5 Stamps with Bottle Ammonia 10c
5 Stamps with 2 packages Washing Powder 10c

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Bring in your Hamilton Coupons, American Tobacco Co.'s Tags and Coupons as well as the various Soap Wrappers, Trade Marks, Labels, etc., which are listed in your stamp book. They are exchangeable for S&H Green Stamps and are a big help in filling your stamp books and obtaining your Premiums quickly.

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LARGE NICELY FURNISHED front room to let, all modern conveniences; suitable for two; use of telephone. Mrs. Ward, 207 Appleton st.

TENEMENT OF 8 ROOMS TO LET; pantry and bath, hot water; 47 Claire st. Call at 16 Marginal st.

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TWO APARTMENT HOUSE TO LET; all modern conveniences, at 161-169 Methuen st. Inquire 31 Methuen st.

FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS TO LET; pantry and bath, 142 Jewett st. Apply Griffiths, Florist, 31 Bridge st.

ROOM SUITABLE FOR BARBER shop or business office, to let; on second floor of the Harrington building, 92 Central st.

MY HOUSE AND STABLE AT 239 Wentworth avenue, to let. Chas. A. Eveleth, Lowell Jail.

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Large store, modern, plate glass; corner Merrimack and Suffolk sts., formerly occupied by Russell Grocery Co. Stand 63 years old. McCaskey register and other fixtures for sale. Inquire Cyrus W. Russell, tel. 3275.

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Are your nerves tired out and exhausted? Is your physical and mental tone lowered? Has overwork, worry or other causes left you weak and nervous? Is your sleep disturbed and your digestion upset? If so you will do well to consider the possibility of Mechano Therapy showing you the way back to health, vigor and vitality.

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WANTED

CASH REGISTER WANTED. CALL at 241 Central st. Shoe Repairing Shop.

THE GOOD PEOPLE OF LOWELL wanted to buy 11th Hour Asbestos Stove Lining, 15 and 25 cent boxes, at all stove dealers.

BOARDERS WANTED AT KIRK Boott Chambers, board $3.50. Two front rooms with board, $1 per day. 67 Kirk st. Jessie Deslauriers.

ROOMERS AND BOARDERS WANTED. $2.50 for ladies, $3.00 for men; rooms $1 upwards; steam heat. Apply 50 Lee st.

TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS wanted; steam heat. Write Box 385, city.

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SALVARSAN

Administered in the veins at Dr. Temple's Lowell office. NO LOSS OF TIME from business. NO PAIN. Lues, malaria, locomotor ataxia and various forms of skin diseases arising from blood poison.

This solves the problem of the centuries and rids the world of the WORST SCOURGE that the human race has known. RESULTS IMMEDIATE. Wasserman blood tests made. Also treats cancers, tumors, all acute and chronic blood and nervous diseases of men and women, hydrocele, varicocele, stricture, prostatic diseases, piles, fistula, fissures, ulcers and rectal diseases, WITHOUT THE USE OF THE KNIFE. Diseases of the eye, ear, nose, throat, skin, stomach, liver, kidneys, bladder, bowels and rectum, epilepsy, and all nervous diseases.

Terms always made to suit the convenience of anyone applying for treatment, and very reasonable charges. Do not treat elsewhere until you have investigated methods and terms. Lowell office, 97 Central street, Mansur block. Hours, Wed., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8. Sundays, 10 to 12.

Consultation, Examination, Advice FREE

W. A. LEW

Steam dyeing and cleaning of ladies' and gents' wearing apparel. 30 years in the business.
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SPECIAL NOTICES

FOUR VIOLIN LESSONS FOR $1. Inquire 171 Cross st.

CARD READING—PAST, PRESENT and future; 10c and 25c. Madam Cory, 579 Bridge st., cor. Third st., room 1.

11TH HOUR ASBESTOS STOVE lining, for lining or repairing linings of ranges, furnaces and stoves, for sale at all stove dealers. 15 and 25 cent boxes.

LOUIS FOX, DEALER IN SECOND hand furniture of all kinds bought, sold and exchanged. 185 Middlesex st.

CASH PAID FOR SECOND HAND furniture of all kinds, large or small lots. T. F. Muldoon, 506 Central st.

STOVE REPAIRS, LININGS, GRATES, centers and other parts for all stoves and ranges carried in stock; work done at lowest prices. Bring name and size of stove, or telephone 4170. Quinn Furniture Co., 160 Middlesex st.

PIANOS AND ORGANS TUNED AND repaired. Tuning $1. J. Kershaw, 150 Cumberland road. Tel. 644-J.

LIMBURG CO., CHIMNEY EXPERTS —Chimneys swept and repaired. Residence 1138 Bridge st. Tel. 945-W.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—THE SUN IS on sale every day at both news stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

Storage For Furniture

Separate room $1 per month for regular $2 two-horse load. Pianos 50c. The driest and cleanest place for storage in Lowell. Telephone connection. C. F. Prentiss, 356 Bridge st.

THE SUN IS ON SALE IN THE NORTH STATION BOSTON

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LOST AND FOUND

HAND BAG CONTAINING SUM OF money and other articles lost between Merrimack mill and Market st. Reward if returned to Merrimack Mfg. Co.'s office.

PAIR WOMEN'S EYEGLASSES LOST at Opera House, Central or Merrimack sts., Monday afternoon. Kindly return to 445 Merrimack st., suite 26.

STICK PIN LOST SUNDAY NIGHT at postoffice writing desk. Will the finder kindly return to box office at Keith's theatre and receive reward?

GOLD LOCKET AND CHAIN LOST between West Tenth st. and Merrimack sq. Reward if returned to No. 6 West Ninth st.

BROWN POCKETBOOK LOST containing blue rosary beads and small sum of money. Reward for information or return to S 17, Sun Office.

LADY'S PURSE FOUND, CONTAINing sum of money, Sunday, Jan. 18th, near Opera House. Owner can have it by giving description and paying cost of this adv. Apply O. J. Shanahan, 316 Market st.

WILL THE PERSON WHO WAS seen picking up a child's red bag at Keith's theatre, Sat. afternoon, please return it with contents to Keith's office and save further trouble?

BLACK POCKETBOOK LOST SATurday morning, containing sum of money and other articles, between Church st. and Merrimack st. Reward for return to Sun Office or notify O 66, Sun Office.

SMALL BLACK HANDBAG, CONtaining pocketbook with sum of money, partly used B. & M. mileage book, and some trinkets, lost on Haverhill car, or street between car and curb. Finder return to 168 Branch st., in the rear. Reward.

POINTER DOG LOST; LIVER AND white. Reward for return to 815 Lawrence st.

CROSS AND CHAIN LOST, WED. afternoon, Jan. 14, between Keene st. and No. Billerica; No. of car, 161. Reward if returned to 472 Gorham st.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

TWO TENEMENT HOUSE ON CONcord st., for sale; seven rooms, bath and pantry, each tenement. Inquire 12 Madison st.

THE WAUGH PROPERTY FOR sale; situated at 183 Walker st., Lowell, Mass. There is a large lot and very desirable location. Inquire of John W. Genaway, Malone, N. Y.

LAWRENCE PROPERTY FOR SALE. Money making proposition. Two stores and two tenements; pay 10%. $5000; can be bought with $1000 down; butcher fixtures in one store; dry goods fixtures in other; on principal st.; good location. Write or call, Hubert M. McMahon, office Room 411, Sun bldg.

HELP WANTED

KITCHEN GIRL WANTED AT once. Weston House, 63 Brookings st., first street above Merrimack Square theatre.

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS WANTED. Commence $75 month. Lowell examinations Feb. 21. Sample questions free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 170 K, Rochester, N. Y.

OVERSEER WANTED FOR DRAWing-in and twisting department on fancy worsted dress goods and men's wear. Must be able to speak German. Charles P. Raymond, 294 Washington st., Boston.

SALESMAN AND COLLECTOR FOR instalment jewelry and clothing house wanted. Apply Tuesday, Jan. 27, between 10 a. m. and 12 m. to Mr. E. E. Stevens, 501 Sun bldg.

BAKER WANTED FOR PASTRY and bread. Tel. 1113-W.

SALESMAN WANTED BY WELL known manufacturer to handle high grade specialty sold to manufacturers; exceptional opportunity for big caliber commission man with knowledge of factory systems and operations. Apply P. O. Box M, Chicopee Falls, Mass.

WEAVERS WANTED

No labor troubles, steady positions, short distance from Boston. Room 611 Colonial Building, 100 Boylston Street, Boston, Mass.

FOR SALE

TRASH WOOD FOR SALE, CUT ready for stove, $1.00 load; kindling wood, $1.00 and $2.00 loads; slab wood and oak wood all ready for stove. Geo. Lynch, 5 Marion st. Tel. 3593.

ANTIQUE FURNITURE FOR SALE; highboy, slanting top desk, old blue ware, pewter ware, etc. 128 B st.

GOOD TWO SEATED SLEIGH FOR sale cheap. Inquire at 942 Middlesex st.

FOR SALE Hay and Wood
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13 room lodging house, modern, well located and always filled with a good class of roomers. Worth $700. Will sell for $350.

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen McAneny, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Mary A. Pendergast, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COL. GOETHALS

Canal Builder Who May Head the New York Police Department

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Mayor Mitchel has made public a letter from Colonel George W. Goethals indicating that the Panama canal builder would accept the police commissionership of

New York city on two conditions—that he be retired from the army, in which he has served nearly thirty-four years and that a law be passed depriving the courts of the power to review the dismissal by the commissioner of police officials. The mayor will seek to have the New York city charter amended to give the commissioner the power Colonel Goethals asks.

EDUCATION OF IMMIGRANTS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The United States can neglect the education of immigrant population only at its own peril, in the opinion of Dr. P. H. Claxton, federal commissioner of education. In an official statement issued today he reviews the whole problem of education for immigrants and says that the least illiterate of the nation's population are the native-born children of foreign parents. The illiteracy among the children of native born parents, he declares is three times as great as that among native born children of foreign parents.

Attention is directed by the commission to the fact that immigrants are keenly interested in schooling for their children, or at least conspicuously obedient to school attendance laws.

HOLDERS OF B. & M. NOTES

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Holders of $8,000,000 of the $10,000,000 of notes of the Boston & Maine railroad which are payable Feb. 3 have agreed to an extension of time until June 2, it became known last night. In consideration of the extension the company announces it will pay an additional three-fourths of one per cent. making 6¾ per cent. for the notes.

The extension, it is announced, is primarily to allow Samuel Carr, recently elected a director of the road, time to prepare a comprehensive financial [illegible] for the company.

RADIUM PLANT

Man Who Extracted First Radium in This Country Writes Mr. Lane

BUFFALO, Jan. 27.—Stephen Lockwood, who ten years ago in an experimental plant in this city extracted the first radium in this country, today telegraphed to Franklin D. Lane, an offer of a well equipped plant for the public reduction of radium bearing ores.

Mr. Lockwood in his telegram to Mr. Lane said:

"To aid the government in preventing the monopoly in radium I offer you the use of the reduction plant here free of charge for any reasonable time. The plant is fully equipped for the reduction of thirty tons of carnotite ores a month. Dr. Holmes, chief of the bureau of mines, has made a personal examination of it. It was shut down in 1910 because we could not at that time secure ores in sufficient quantity to keep it in continuous and profitable operation.

"We have also a large quantity of radium-containing residues which contain three to four milligrams of radium to every one hundred pounds, which are free to any one who will bear the expense of refining and will devote the resultant radium to science."

Mr. Lockwood in conclusion expresses the belief that Sec. Lane's plan for the withdrawal of radium bearing will have an opposite effect from the purpose sought.

LABOR MAN GUILTY

ORGANIZER LUTHRINGER FINED $10 AT CLAREMONT, NEW HAMPSHIRE

CLAREMONT, N. H., Jan. 27.—John Luthringer, the labor organizer arrested last Saturday charged with speaking on the street illegally, appeared yesterday before F. W. Johnson, who found him guilty. He was fined $10 and costs of $4.62.

He was formally charged with illegally speaking on the street and with illegally assembling a crowd. Attorney Upton, who defended Luthringer, argued that the recent ordinance, which Luthringer was charged with violating, was not legally enacted and that it was unconstitutional because it gave the town officials opportunity for discrimination and arbitrary powers.

The prosecution simply offered evidence of the enactment of the ordinance and the breach by Luthringer.

Judge Johnston ruled that the ordinance was properly published, that it was duly enacted and that Luthringer was guilty.

Attorney Upton and H. W. Parker had a controversy as to the defendants being placed under sureties to keep the peace. Judge Johnston ruled that it was proper and when the case was appealed he accepted John Dawson and G. F. Jerald as sureties. He informed the large crowd present that any demonstration would be considered contempt of court, so everything was quiet.

Luthringer spoke and started in on his rights of free speech and the judge cautioned him that he could not discuss the rulings of the court.

Attorney Upton, Organizers Luthringer, Age and Coyne visited the board of selectmen later to hire the town hall. Coyne asked Lewis Colby for the rental, but the latter said he wanted the full board to act, and since Mr. Hawkes was ill, the organizers could come around about next Saturday for a reply.

Sympathizers have offered house lots to the organizers to hold their meetings.

BABY MAY DIE

Fatally Injured When Father With Child in Arms Jumped

CHELSEA, Jan. 27.—Nicholas Kissel's baby girl received probably fatal injuries when the man jumped with the child in his arms from the roof of his burning house early today. Kissel and his sisters-in-law, Miss Mary Kudry and Miss Katherine Kudry, who also jumped, were badly hurt. Mrs. Kissel was partly overcome by smoke in escaping by a stairway.

HIGHER SCHOLARSHIP

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 27.—A strong plea for higher scholarship requirements is made and drastic action in the case of the man who fails to maintain a passing mark in his studies as urged by the Yale News today.

BIG COAL STRIKE

Speedy Settlement of Trouble Affecting 10,000 Expected

LONDON, Jan. 27.—A speedy termination of the coal strike which has affected London since Jan. 21 when 10,000 coal carriers quit work, was foreshadowed in a resolution adopted by the men at a meeting today when they decided to resume work in the coal yards where the employers had consented to grant the increase of two cents a ton for loading coal demanded by the men, bringing their wages up to 20 cents a ton. As several of the largest London firms have agreed to this it is generally thought the others will be unable long to resist.

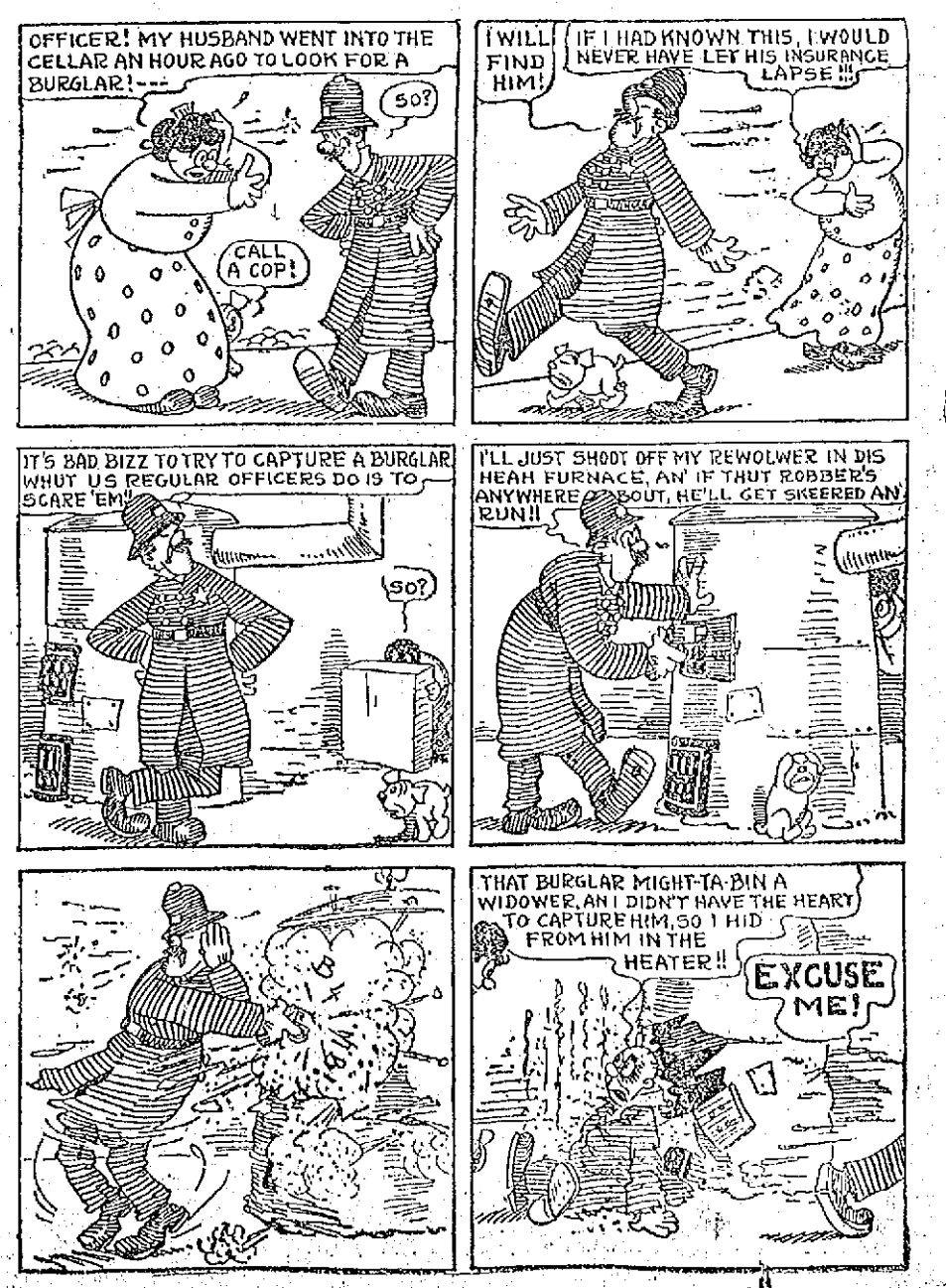
GOMPERS IS 64

The A. F. of L. President Congratulated by His Friends Today

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Friends of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, were offering their congratulations to him today on his 64th birthday. Organized labor here planned to give the labor chief an elaborate supper tonight in celebration of the event.

A feature of the day's celebration will be the arrival here today of Toney Costello of Galveston, Texas, who has walked from that city with greetings for Mr. Gompers.

EXCUSE ME



55TH BIRTHDAY

Emperor William Celebrated His Anniversary at Berlin Today

BERLIN, Jan. 27.—Emperor William celebrated his 55th birthday today, hale and vigorous in body and mind and able still, as shown by his recent woodchopping exploits, to undertake the physical work of a man in the prime of life. All classes of his subjects joined in observing the day, celebrations being held by the university and technical schools students, by the academies of arts and sciences, by army and navy officers, by civic organizations and by municipalities and veteran associations throughout the empire.

There was a long list of birthday honors and decorations, promotions being awarded lavishly throughout the army and navy services, but the lion's share of the distinctions was conferred on men belonging to the business and artistic worlds. The highest distinction of all was given to Prince Guido Henckel Von Bonnersmarck, who received the Black Eagle. He is a member of the "Princes Trust" which possesses enormous interests in real estate, mining and shipping concerns.

August Scherl, proprietor of the Lokal Anzieger and numerous other publications, was honored with the second class of the Red Eagle with the star. The same decoration without the star was conferred on Professor Paul Ehrlich, the eminent physician.

Dr. Wilhelm Bode, the director of the Royal museum, was raised to the hereditary nobility.

15 YEARS FOR SLAYER

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Domenico D'Alessandro of 456 Hanover street, who has been on trial for murder in the first degree in the Suffolk superior court, was allowed to plead guilty to manslaughter yesterday, and Chief Justice Aiken sentenced him to serve 15 to 17 years in state prison.

D'Alessandro has been on trial for murdering his brother-in-law, Antonio Borgio, also of the North End, by shooting him last June in front of a saloon on Hanover street.

The trial was begun last Wednesday and the government's case was finished yesterday when Attorney Grady, representing the prisoner, told Assistant District Attorney McIsaac that he would be willing to plead to the manslaughter charge. This was agreed to by the government in view of certain testimony offered by the state witnesses. D'Alessandro was then sentenced.

TWO NEW STEEL BARGES

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Construction of two steel barges, to cost $25,000 each at the Charlestown navy yard was ordered yesterday from Washington. The order will result in bringing back to work 100 men who had been laid off.

WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH

HAVERHILL, Jan. 27—Miss Etta Harrington fell down stairs with a lighted lamp in her hand last night and was burned to death. Perley Shute, for whom she acted as housekeeper, had just left the house when he heard a noise. He was unable to open the door when he tried to investigate, and it was found later that Miss Harrington, who weighed 200 pounds, had become so wedged between the door and the lower step that she could not move. Firemen were forced to break in the door over her body to get at the flames.

KILLED BY LION

NAIROBI, British East Africa, Jan. 27—Mauling by a lion caused the death here this afternoon of Fritz Schindler, a member of an American moving picture expedition, engaged in taking pictures of wild animals in their native surroundings in Africa. Schindler, with others belonging to the expedition, was attempting to photograph a lion in the jungle on Saturday when the animal sprang on him and lacerated him so badly that he never rallied.

WASTE OF $1,000,000

UNEARTHED BY GOVERNOR GLYNN OF NEW YORK—WANTS TO KNOW WHO GOT THE MONEY

ALBANY, Jan. 27.—When Commissioner James W. Osborne resumes his state graft inquiry he will have in hand evidence of about $1,000,000 waste in the purchase of road machinery in the last five years, which Gov. Glynn himself has unearthed.

In some cases prices on two road machines of the same kind, on which the transportation charges had been practically the same, would vary from $100 to $500 in different sections of the state, it is declared.

"I want to know who got the difference in cost," the governor said last night. "I am going to ask Mr. Osborne to determine that as quickly as possible."

To aid Mr. Osborne, every county superintendent of highways and each of the 900 township clerks have been directed to furnish a complete record of all the purchases of road machinery in the last five years.

The governor also intends to have Mr. Osborne call for the books of all the road machinery manufacturers doing business in the state.

THE SODA FOUNTAIN

INVENTED BY G. D. DOWS WHOSE WIDOW WAS BURIED IN BILLERICA TODAY

Mrs. G. D. Dows, who died in New York, Saturday, Jan. 24th, and was buried in Billerica today, was the wife of the inventor of the soda fountain, Gustavus D. Dows, formerly of Billerica, uncle of Azro M. Dows, the well known druggist of this city. With the universal adoption of the soda fountain at present, it is difficult to realize that its invention has been thus linked to our own time by the wife of the great inventor, but such is the case. The first marble soda fountain was invented by Gustavus D. Dows in 1858. In memory of him a beautiful soda shop has been opened in 3 Park place, New York, directly across from the Woolworth building, known as the "Dows' Soda Shop." Mr. Azro M. Dows of this city was there to help in arranging business matters connected with it when the widow of his distinguished uncle died, and he was present when she passed away.

INDUSTRIAL TEACHERS

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION WILL PROVIDE SPECIAL COURSES FOR THEM

If the plan of the state board of education is carried out there will be established in the Lowell Normal and all other Normal schools in the state classes for the purpose of training industrial teachers. It is believed that this is made necessary by the opening of training and industrial schools in cities through the state. The board finds that the number of teachers qualified for these positions is not nearly as large as the demand for them.

The establishment of a separate normal school for men is advocated by the board and the city of Worcester is recommended for a location.

STEAMSHIP LINES CUT RATES

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 27.—The American, Cunard and White Star line yesterday announced a reduction of 20 shillings for westbound passengers. The reductions for the present will apply only to continental traffic. No reduction has been announced by the Allen line or the Canadian Pacific railway.

FALLNG HAIR AND ITCHING SCALP

Entirely Needless—Use Parisian Sage. It Quickly Removes Dandruff—Your Head Feels Fine

Now that Parisian Sage can be had at any drug or toilet counter, it is certainly needless to have thin, brittle, matted, stringy or faded hair. No matter how unsightly the hair, how badly it is falling, or how much dandruff, use Parisian Sage—it is all that is needed. One application removes dandruff, the hair roots are nourished and stimulated to grow new hair, itching scalp and falling hair cease,—your head feels fine. Best of all, the hair becomes soft, fluffy, abundant and radiant with life and beauty.

You will be surprised and delighted with Parisian Sage. Try at least one fifty cent bottle. The purchase price will be refunded if you are not satisfied.

Look for the trade-mark—"The Girl with the Auburn Hair"—accept no other.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
5.45	6.50	5.00	5.43
6.25	7.23	6.00	6.58
6.47	7.30	7.14	8.21
b6.40	7.53	7.50	8.35
6.57	8.00	b8.21	9.25
7.21	8.05	9.00	9.39
7.33	8.37	9.30	10.05
a7.22	8.49	11.06	11.45
7.53	8.57	12.30	1.03
a9.12	10.34	1.00	1.39
9.15	10.00	2.00	3.00
10.30	11.10	3.00	3.37
10.54	11.40	b3.44	5.09
11.35	12.15	4.00	4.55
12.12	1.05	a4.14	5.32
1.45	2.33	5.00	5.35
3.32	3.25	b5.21	6.20
3.54	4.10	5.37	6.33
4.25	6.24	b5.51	7.10
5.31	6.25	6.14	7.33
b6.12	7.17	8.00	8.38
6.43	7.35	8.30	9.06
7.45	8.35	10.30	11.33
9.55	10.40	11.40	12.36

Portland Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.43	7.38	a5.40	6.08
6.06	8.07	9.14	10.39
8.55	10.01	10.39	11.51
10.32	12.07	11.40	12.45
12.03	1.18	2.14	3.39
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Sunday Trains
Portland Division

8.20	9.25	8.00	9.19
12.10	1.10	12.00	1.06
3.55	6.08	5.32	6.46
6.45	7.00	6.37	8.36
8.55	10.04	8.45	3.48

Sunday Trains
Southern Division

6.47	7.37	8.45	9.47
7.31	8.00	9.30	10.05
8.08	9.04	11.06	11.45
8.45	9.46	1.00	1.57
9.00	9.35	6.30	6.84
10.30	11.17	8.00	8.53
2.49	3.25	5.50	9.09
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LOCAL NEWS

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The piano tuners of Massachusetts held their first annual meeting in Boston at the Hotel Lenox last night and the attendance numbered over 100. An appetizing supper was discussed and at the close of the repast speeches were in order, the speaker of the evening being Owen A. Gilday of this city, who delivered a brilliant address on "What the Piano Tuner Means to the Piano."

Before a large attendance of members the recently elected officers of Pilgrim Encampment, No. 4, I. O. O. F., were installed last evening by District Deputy Grand Patriarch Charles T. Schueler, and the following suite, all of Lawrence: Deputy Grand High Priest Alvah Locke; Deputy Grand Senior Warden George H. Bingham, Deputy Grand Recording Scribe John M. Shearer, Deputy Grand Financial Scribe John Wilton, Deputy Grand Treasurer George W. Thayer, Deputy Grand Sentinel Frank B. Kilborn, Deputy Grand Junior Warden George S. Wadsworth. The ceremonies were quite impressive, the Lawrence men being thoroughly trained in the ritualistic work.

Louis McCarty of Boston addressed the Men's club of the First Universalist church at the club's headquarters in the Harrington building last night. Mr. McCarty talked on Mexico and told a very interesting story of that country. The program for the evening included several selections by the club orchestra, which was heard for the first time since its recent organization, under the leadership for Eugene Dunbar. At the business meeting, following the entertainment, plans were discussed for the concert, Feb. 10, at which the Webster quartet, the Sixth Regiment band will be heard.

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RECEIVED BRIBE

Charge Against Joseph Cassidy on Trial in New York Today

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Joseph Cassidy, one time democratic leader of Queens county, was called for trial today charged with having received a bribe paid by Henry Willet, Jr., for nomination to the supreme court. Willet, convicted last week of having given the bribe, is now in jail waiting sentence. Lewis T. Walter, Jr., charged with being the go-between in the transaction, will be tried with Cassidy unless either of the two men demands separate trials.

The bribe, it is alleged, was paid prior to the election of 1911. A Brooklyn newspaper published the charges and Willet was defeated.

Stomach Troubles Due to Acidity

So Says Eminent Specialist

So-called stomach troubles, such as indigestion, wind, stomach-ache and inability to retain food, are in probably nine cases out of ten simply evidence that fermentation is taking place in the food contents of the stomach, causing the formation of gas and acids. Wind distends the stomach and causes that full, oppressive feeling sometimes known as heartburn, while the acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach. The trouble lies entirely in the fermenting food. Such fermentation is unnatural, and acid formation is not only unnatural, but may involve most serious consequences if not corrected. To stop or prevent fermentation of the food contents of the stomach and to neutralize the acid, and render it bland and harmless, a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia, probably the best and most effective corrector of acid stomach known, should be taken in a quarter of a glass of hot or cold water immediately after eating, or whenever wind or acidity is felt. This stops the fermentation, and neutralizes the acidity in a few moments. Fermentation, wind an dacidity are dangerous and unnecessary. Stop or prevent them by the use of a proper antacid, such as bisurated magnesia, which can be obtained from any druggist and thus enable the stomach to do its work properly without being hindered by poisonous gas and dangerous acids.—M. F. P.

EMPEROR WILLIAM'S BIRTHDAY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Official society of Washington will attend a reception to be given at the Germany embassy here tonight by Ambassador Count Von Bernstorff in honor of the 55th anniversary of the birth of Emperor William.

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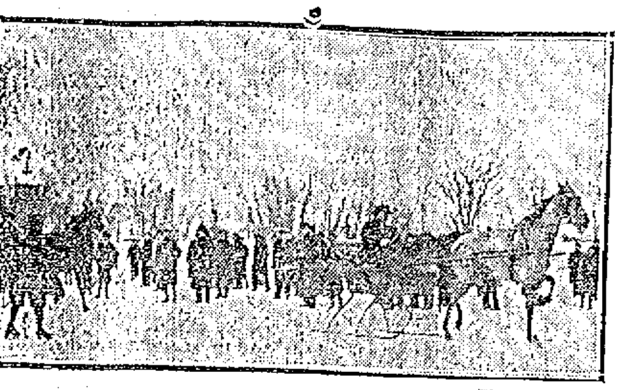

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GEORGE PARKER'S "FRED S."
Winner of Third Race.

"Fred S" Wins Hotly Contested Race—Lowell Horses May Race at Dover, N. H.

The horse races on the Merrimack river yesterday afternoon developed some very spirited and very interesting contests. The weather was a little bit off color but that didn't signify where horsemen's enthusiasm was running high. There was a good crowd present to witness the races and while the stoppers were not caught with the watch it was generally conceded that some unusually fast spurts were shown. The races were under the direction of the Lowell Driving club, Arnold J. Ryan and Charles Barney were the judges and Richard Murphy acted as starter.

Three races were held, the most interesting contest being between M. F. Senecal's "Counter Beater," and Kemp and Gendron's "John W." The race went to "Counter Beater."

All eyes were turned on Dick Murphy's promising two-year-old, "Baden, Jr." He is some colt and if the opinion of men who know the game amounts to anything, Dick has the makings of a great racer. A special race between the colt and Frank Dimodana's "Cock Robin" went to the colt in two straight heats.

There was a corking good race in which three good ones, "Fred S," "Cracker Boy" and "Cabel" participated. "Cabel" is the property of Dr. Lewis of Nashua, "Cracker Boy" puts up at Frank Orcutt's stable, and "Fred S." looks to George Parker for bed and board. Five heats were necessary to determine the winner and the race went to Fred S. Summary of races:

FIRST RACE

Baden, owned by Richard Murphy 1 1
Cock Robin, owned by F. Dimodana 2 2

SECOND RACE

Counter Beater, owned by M. F. Senecal 1 2 1
John W., owned by Kemp and Gendron 2 1 2

THIRD RACE

Fred S., owned by George Parker 3 2 1 1 1
Cracker Boy, owned by F. Orcutt 1 1 2 2 3
Cabel, owned by Dr. Lewis of Nashua 3 3 2 3 2

If the weather holds good there will be another meet on the river Saturday afternoon for which an attractive program will be prepared.

May Cross the Line

The Lowell Driving club received an invitation, yesterday, from the Granite State Driving club to attend and participate in a series of races to be held at Dover, Feb. 3. The Dover club agrees to pay all transportation expenses, which means expenses for both owners and their steeds. Without a doubt, the Lowell club will accept the invitation, and a representative list of entries will go forward at an early time.

DANCING PARTY

A select dancing party in aid of St. Columba's parish reunion, will be held at the Pawtucket boat house, tomorrow evening. The affair is in charge of Mrs. Martin H. Reidy, with Mr. Joseph P. Quinn as floor director.

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

POLITICAL GRAFT

Special Grand Jury Investigation Was Resumed Today

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The special grand jury investigating alleged political graft resumed its hearings today. James C. Shaw, said to have been a go-between in money transactions, was the principal witness called.

With the aid of other witnesses, District Attorney Charles S. Whitman it was said, hoped to refresh Shaw's memory on various points, among others the name of the man to whom he acknowledged giving a package containing $41,250 in bills.

The movement in Albany to give Mr. Whitman state-wide power to hunt for grafters is interesting Mr. Whitman. The first steps to that end were taken in the assembly last night when a resolution was introduced that Mr. Whitman or one of his assistants be made counsel to any committee appointed by the assembly to investigate the highway department of the state. In that case Mr. Whitman will acquire powers equal to those of a special deputy attorney-general and will be as thoroughly equipped to indict and prosecute grafting officials all over the state as former Governor Hughes was in the insurance investigation.

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

SCHOOL DESTROYED

One of the Largest and Best Equipped Schools in New Haven Burned This Morning

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 27—Strong school, one of the largest and best equipped of the city's grammar schools was burned early this morning. A part of the building was used for a branch of the public library.

MOTHER! IS CHILD'S STOMACH SOUR, SICK?

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When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeits sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

FREIGHT RATES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Specific objections of ice dealers to the granting of a general five per cent. freight rate advance to the railroads in eastern classification territory were laid before the interstate commerce committee today when shippers' hearings on the application of the transportation companies were resumed.

JURISDICTION OVER DIVORCES

BANGOR, Me., Jan. 27.—The courts of this state have jurisdiction in divorce proceedings when the libellant has resided within the state in good faith for one year prior to the commencement of the proceedings and the marital domicile need not be in Maine, according to a rescript given today by Associate Justice Warren C. Phillbrook of the supreme court.

The decision was in the case of Jas. W. H. Walker of Brownfield, formerly of Washington, D. C., which went to the law term on the question of jurisdiction raised by the libellee who claimed that unless the cause of divorce occurred while the marital domicile was in Maine the court has no jurisdiction.

COMMON SENSE ABOUT COLDS

It is Easier to Prevent a Cold Than to Cure It

NO. 4

Probably nine out of every ten colds could be prevented by a little care and forethought.

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Plenty of fresh air and enough exercise to keep the blood in free circulation and the cold germs would never have a chance to gain a foothold in the system.

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We live and work in poorly ventilated, over-heated houses and offices.

We dress too warmly.

We lose the power of resistance—and the invading army of microbes find us an easy mark.

The first unusual exposure to colds and dampness starts the shivers.

We begin to sneeze and cough.

These are the warning symptoms.

It is too late to prevent the cold—

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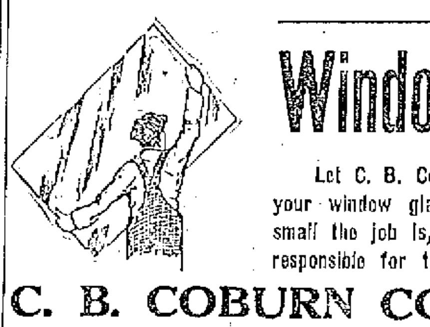
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THE WEATHER

Continued unsettled tonight and Wednesday; probably occasional rain.

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PAWTUCKETVILLE AROUSED

SHOOT MAN AND WIFE LIKE SNAKES

Witness Testified That Vannah Said, "If I Knew the Hardys Had Stolen My Rum I Would Shoot Them Like Snakes"

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 27.—The feature of the morning session today in the trial of Francis A. Vannah, charged with the alleged murder of Edward E. Hardy by shooting, was the testimony of Allen E. Rackliff, a member of the National soldiers home at Togus. He was well acquainted with the respondent as they entered the home at the same time.

Just before the alleged murder the witness and Vannah went to the latter's camp near the home. "After entering the camp," said the witness, "Vannah opened a box with a key and said to me: 'Someone has stolen my rum.' Later Vannah told me he thought they (the Hardys) had taken his liquor. Vannah said: 'If I knew they had stolen my rum I would shoot them like snakes.'"

Mrs. Emma Turk testified she was employed in the dining room at the national home and one of her duties was to make a record of the soldiers who came to their meals. She was on duty at the home on the night of March 20, the date of the shooting and her memorandum, made at the time, showed Vannah was absent from his supper on the night of the shooting.

William R. Corbett, an Augusta policeman testified to making the arrest of Vannah at the home on the night of the alleged crime, and finding in his possession a pair of rubber boots which he said were spotted with blood.

Coroner Henry W. Plummer had just been called to the stand when Virgil Jackson of Windsor, one of the jurors was stricken with an attack of acute indigestion. A recess was ordered and he was attended by a physician. The juror's condition became more serious and Judge Beane adjourned court until afternoon.

BOMB OUTRAGES

N. Y. Boy Confesses and Clears Mystery of Two Murders

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Alfred Lehman, an undersized youth scarcely out of his teens, sat in the witness chair this afternoon and confessed to having participated in 10 bomb outrages, revealed knowledge of 80, cleared up the mystery of two murders and furnished information concerning a number of lesser crimes, including burglary and arson.

Lehman was called as a witness in the trial of Angelo Sylvester, accused of one of the bomb outrages. Lehman told the court of the burning of two Brooklyn houses for the insurance and many other lesser crimes. He said the bomb outrages usually brought the men doing the work $50.

One robbery, in which a Chinese was murdered, he said, netted him $2, while the two men with him who, he said, killed the Chinaman, got the same amount. Lehman said he had personally planted 6 to 18 bombs, causing much damage.

"The gang I worked for," he exclaimed, "were blackmailers. The boss would write letters demanding money under threat of death to well-to-do Italians. When they did not pay I was sent with a bomb."

Telegraphic Brevities

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Arrived steamer California from Glasgow.

SABLE ISLAND, Jan. 27.—Steamer Olympic from Southampton for New York, 368 miles east of Sandy Hook at 6 a. m. Dock 3.30 p. m. Wednesday.

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The United States Steel Corporation this afternoon declared its regular quarterly dividend of 1 1-4 per cent. on the common stock and 1 3-4 per cent. on the preferred.

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—At the annual meeting of the state republican committee today C. H. Thurston was elected chairman to succeed Charles E. Hatfield, who recently resigned after a term of four years.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 27.—Several bills introduced in the senate this afternoon aim to reduce the price of commutation tickets on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad in Westchester county to make conditions similar to those existing around Boston and in parts of Connecticut.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 27.—Charging that the will of his father, Frank H. Holyoke, a lumberman of Bangor, Me., who died here in October, 1911, was a "forgery concocted by certain designing persons," Sydney Archibald Holyoke of Milwaukee today instituted a contest of the instrument which cut him off with $100.

PINDELL CONFIRMED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The nominations of Henry M. Pindell of Peoria, Ill., to be ambassador to Russia and Winifred T. Denison of Portland, Me., to be member of the Philippines were confirmed by the senate late this afternoon.

GUILTY OF LIBEL

PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 27—Rev. Wilbur F. Berry, D. D., a veteran temperance worker in this state, was found guilty of the charge of criminally libelling Associate Justice Haley of the Maine supreme court by the jury in the superior court late this afternoon. The jury was out more than four hours.

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ACTION BY RESIDENTS OF BELVIDERE CAUSES GREAT INDIGNATION

Prominent Resident of Pawtucketville Says Site Offered Can be Reached Only in an Airship—Public Hearing Will be Demanded

The people of Pawtucketville were thoroughly aroused this afternoon on getting copies of The Sun stating that the opponents of the Pillsbury site had purchased part of the Ward land and offered it free as a hospital site to the city.

Wherever the news was carried it caused a feeling of indignation and it is probable that the people of that section will either call an indignation meeting or else demand a hearing before the municipal council to protest against this action by residents of Belvidere in trying to throw the hospital location back into Pawtucketville by what appears tantamount to a species of bribery in order to drive the hospital from their own district.

A prominent resident of Pawtucketville who owns his own home and considerable other real estate in that section expressed his indignation to a representative of The Sun, making the following declaration:

"The land proposed for a contagious hospital site at the meeting of the municipal council this morning is a part of the area of back land in Pawtucketville which has been repeatedly offered for sale to the city, the price asked for the entire parcel being $4200.

"This land has never received favorable consideration because of its remote location from established traveled ways and because of the tremendous expense to which the city would be subjected in providing it with such needed facilities as streets, sewers, water, lights, etc.

"It has been predicted in the street for some days that the Andover street opponents of the Pillsbury property were to purchase some of this proposed back hospital land and offer it to the city apparently for nothing, with the result that the city, in order to obtain a sufficient area for hospital purposes, would be compelled to buy the remaining land, and once owning the land, the city would be saddled with a tremendous expense in making the property available for any use.

"The land offered this morning ostensibly by Mrs. Dexter, who lives in East Merrimack street, about one-quarter of a mile from the Pillsbury place, it is stated, was purchased by the Andover street remonstrants to the Pillsbury site at a cost of $720, and citizens will be asked to believe that the city has received some great benefaction in view of the fact that this smallest of the parcels, making the area heretofore submitted, is now tendered to the city. At the asking price of the balance of the land, $3500 more would have to be spent immediately for the land.

The Ward Land

The land offered by Mrs. Dexter has hitherto been owned by George M. Ward and has been on the market for

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HOSPITAL SITE IN PAWTUCKETVILLE

Offered City Through Ellen E. Dexter by Opponents of Pillsbury Site—Commissioner Brown Says the Sewerage Would Cost $500,000

At a meeting of the municipal council held this forenoon there was offered, through Commissioner Carmichael, a piece of land, containing less than five acres, as a site for a contagious hospital. The land is situated in the rear of the Lowell General hospital and is known as the Ward land. The council did not take any action in the matter except to receive the communications and place them on file. Commissioner Brown advised the council to go very slow in the matter suggesting that it was being engineered by persons opposed to the purchase of the Dr. Pillsbury estate and that the council was probably being led into a trap. He was told, he said, that persons opposed to the erection of a hospital on the Pillsbury site had paid $720 for the Ward land to present it to the city. He spoke about the ledge that the city would have to contend with and that while the city might get the land for nothing the cost of excavation, sewers, etc., would probably bring the total up to half a million dollars. The council will view the land at a later date and the matter will probably come up again at a meeting to be held next Saturday afternoon.

The Trades & Labor council addressed a letter to the municipal council that was decidedly out of the ordinary and Mayor Murphy expressed his pleasure before reading it. The letter stated that the Trades & Labor council

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Third Edition

AWARD THE GREEK SCHOOL CONTRACTS

Lack of Money on Account of Local Bank Failure and Sacrifices in the War Have Greatly Delayed the Work

The contracts for the remodeling of the former Plunkett residence in Worthen street into a school building for the local Greek community have been given out and not counting the fixtures of the class rooms the cost of the building will be $9917. Already the sum of $5500 has been paid for the purchase of the building, which will make an ideal school.

In order to be able to defray the expenses of the remodeling of the building a special meeting of all members of the community will be held in a couple of weeks at which time a subscription will be taken up. The community has a small sum of money in its treasury but the amount is not sufficient to cover all costs and it is the intention of the members of the council to have the work done when there is money enough to cover the costs, so as not to borrow.

If the general meeting is as successful as anticipated it is possible that the word to the various contractors to start work will be given about the latter part of February and in this manner the school will be ready for occupancy in the early spring. According to plans, which were drawn by Architect Millard Davis there will be three class rooms on each of the two floors of the building and many additional windows will be put in, while a large entrance will be constructed on the Worthen street side.

The new school will accommodate 250 pupils and accordingly the present quarters in the basement of the Greek church in Jefferson street will be abandoned. There are now 200 pupils attending school daily in the church building and they will be all shifted to the other building. If additional room is needed later on the third floor or attic of the Plunkett residence will be converted into class rooms.

The contracts were awarded as follows: Plumbing, T. Costello & Co., $826; heating and ventilation, Farrell & Conatop, $2874; carpentry, J. J. O'Connor, $6,048; electricity, L. A. Derby & Co., $162.

Harry Houpis, the president of the community, in conversation with the writer this morning, said his people are very generous when it comes to community affairs; but they are now handicapped by the fact that the biggest part of their money is tied up at the Traders National bank. Another cause for the lack of funds is that many are sending money to the old country to relieve the sick and disabled, who have been wounded during the recent wars. However, he believes if an appeal is made to the members of the community, as plans are now under way, they will come forth with the required cash to remodel the Plunkett residence, for it is the hope of all that the basement of the church be abandoned for school purposes.

Clark's orch., Y. M. C. I., tonight.

FELL FROM ROOF

Wilfred Bibeault Was Badly Injured While at Work on House

Wilfred Bibeault, a carpenter living at 48 Gardner street, was badly hurt this afternoon about 3.30 o'clock when he fell from the roof of a two and a half story house at the corner of Midland and Stevens streets.

The injured man was shingling the roof of the house when the narrow staging upon which he was working gave way and he was thrown to the ground below, striking upon his head. No bones were broken, although it is feared that the man may have suffered internal injuries. He was taken to the Lowell hospital in the ambulance.

$200,000 LOAN

Bids Will Open at Office of City Treasurer Tomorrow

Bids for the purchase at discount of a temporary loan of $200,000, issued in anticipation of revenue, for the year 1914, will be opened in the office of the city treasurer at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. Notes issued therefor will be dated Jan. 28, 1914, and payable Nov. 2, 1914, at the First National bank, Boston. These notes will be issued in denominations to suit the purchaser, and will be ready for delivery Thursday, Jan. 29. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

HALTS INCREASE IN FARES

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—On account of protests, the public service commission today suspended the proposed increase in local fares on the Providence & Fall River St. Ry. Co. and set Feb. 10 as the date for a public hearing on the rates. The increase originally ordered was from five to six cents and would have gone into effect on Feb. 1.

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

MERRIMACK SQUARE

Possibly it was as a tribute to the best loved of all thespians and dramatists that as their farewell offering the Merrimack Square theatre players presented "The Merchant of Venice." Whether or not this touch of sentiment actuated their reproducing the piece, they are playing it, and playing it well.

A packed house heard Edouard D'Oize give his conception of the emotions harassing Shylock's mind, and listened to Grace Young delineate all the graces and perfections with which Shakespeare invested his immortal Portia.

Portia, naturally, is the most attractive character in "The Merchant of Venice;" indeed when contrasted with those of Hermione, Imogen or Desdemona she may be said to be the most exquisitely drawn and most lovable of all Shakespeare's feminine characters. And, speaking of the dramatists' portrayal of these characters it is interesting to note the light in which the most profound thinker of all time held women. While he never evinced any leanings toward sex equality—in fact throughout his plays he never fails to disseminate the thought that, so to speak, the male of the species is higher than the female,—nevertheless, in Portia he painted a woman who could outwit one of the slipperiest and craftiest of men, a money lender. Added to this brilliancy of mind, Portia was endowed with bewitching grace and beauty. With these natural gifts, with abundant wealth and, so with many suitors, it is singular that the fair lady should bestow her heart, hand and wealth on such a shiftless, happy-go-lucky gentleman as Bassanio. However, she does, and though more versatile in every way than her husband-to-be she never dreams of omitting the word "obey" in the marriage ceremony. Such was Shakespeare's ideal woman.

Shylock, Portia's opponent in the court scene, is one of the most bloodthirsty wretches ever conceived in a dramatist's brain. His countrymen of this generation can hardly be censured for the protests which they are raising against the accepted portrayal of this character. They declare and reasonably, that Shakespeare painted the money lender in the most odious light with no nobler intention than to stir up the race prejudice of the galleries of his day. For 400 years the old Jewish usurer has typified all that is sordid, malignant and hateful; and even now it is not likely that these unenviable qualities will be softened by a more broad-minded generation.

Antonio has always seemed too gentle and unselfish a character for one ever to meet along the street. He overflows with charity and fortitude and indeed with about every virtue which Christianity has striven to inculcate in erring men and women. He is so good that he verges on being uninteresting —which would prove a cardinal offense were he alive now—yet the tragedy which casts its sombre shadow over his tranquil life serves to throw a cloak over his character which is stamped "Interesting."

As the adage goes, "All the world loves a lover," so, since the creation of the characters of Jessica and Lorenzo, the audiences of succeeding generations have watched their elopement with suppressed breathing and have rejoiced in their ultimate happiness as if the twain loved one another in our own day and were mutual friends of ours. In Lorenzo's wooing of Jessica one cannot help but smile, too, when one realizes that love scenes never change and that lovers, whether of the sixteenth or of the twentieth centuries, are influenced by the same elements as was Lorenzo when he murmured:

"How sweet the moonlight sleeps upon this bank;
"Here we will sit and let the sounds of music
"Creep in our ears: Soft stillness and the night
"Become the touches of sweet harmony."

VALERIE D'OIZE
Appearing This Week in "The Merchant of Venice," the Last Production of the Merrimack Square Theatre Players

OPERA HOUSE

Neil O'Brien, who for years had been the chief asset with the Lew Dockstader show, was launched last year as a star, and extremely pleasant recollections still linger of the splendid performance he and his associates presented. It was clean, wholesome, lively, entertainment and gave full measure of enjoyment to minstrel lovers everywhere. It will, therefore, be good news to theatregoers to learn that Mr. O'Brien is now on his second annual tour and will appear at the Lowell Opera House next Friday, matinee and night, with a complete new equipment of scenic surprises, new wardrobe, new songs, jokes, special features and almost an entirely new company. This follows out the announced policy as promised by Mr. O'Brien and his manager, Oscar F. Hodge, to present each year an entirely new show from first part to the final curtain. This plan has been faithfully carried out this season. All the elaborate and magnificent settings, comprising a complete and beautiful production, are fresh from the scene frame. The artist has been allowed unusual latitude and has excelled with a "first part" of exquisite beauty. The color scheme is in white and gold, the scene representing a fanciful and artistic idea. There are five other full stage settings, all on a scale of elaborate detail.

The company is mostly new, and selected with that same critical care evidenced by Mr. O'Brien last season. Most interesting among the new engagements for this season is that of the international favorite, Eddie Ross, whose work as a monologist has been received with as much favor abroad as in his native land. Mr. Ross has only recently concluded a six months' season at the principal London music halls where his success was more remarkable than any other American performer who has appeared there in recent years.

KEITH'S THEATRE

Keith's theatre was packed to the doors last night and the audience was very appreciative, if one is to judge by the frequent applause given the talent of this popular house. Of course there was a reason, for the bill was one of the best presented at a local vaudeville theatre for a long time. The bill is of high standard and consists of numbers that are sure to please all patrons of this amusement house.

The headliner on the program is without doubt "Little Billy," who is booked as "vaudeville's cleverest lilliputian," and there certainly was no mistake in the booking, for "Billy" is about the cleverest little chap who ever appeared before the footlights. His act consists of singing, dancing and recitation and all number are cleverly handled. Although but about two feet and a half in height, the little fellow is an old-timer in the theatrical business, and an old favorite in Lowell, but his act has been sifted to such a degree that it is hardly recognizable. At last night's performance "Little Billy" simply added another feather to his cap.

Next in line come Dugan & Raymond, two elite entertainers, who specialize in humorous sayings and songs. The male member of the pair is exceptionally clever in handling comedy and for a big half-hour he keeps his audience in a happy mood. He is a sure cure for grouch and his female partner renders him great assistance.

Ward & Curran, who count friends in this city by the hundred, are again seen and heard to advantage in their inimitable sketch, "The Terrible Judge." Mr. Ward as the judge has one of the most original make-ups ever seen on a local stage, while his pal is a sort of a lightning change artist. This pair excel in comedy that is comedy and the sketch is very interesting as well as amusing. Curran is the proud possessor of a fine tenor voice and he knows how to handle it, especially in his Irish songs. The act closes with a duet that is very pleasing.

"The Grouch," a one-act comedy, is one of the chief attractions this week. It is being presented by Jere Grady, Frankie Carpenter & Co. This sketch is from the pen of Jimmie Barry and has to do with a grasping, country land agent, who sells lots in the Atlantic ocean. By the simple method of putting on and off a straw hat he manages to convince people that he is two distinct persons, and in this manner he is able to get out of many tight corners. The incidents connected with the playlet are very amusing.

Alice Flood and Josephine Erna give a fine exhibition of juggling and other circus feats and their act is very good. Jimmie Lucas is a conversationalist of high standard and he is also a clever singer, dealing mostly with parodies on the popular songs. He was given several encores at yesterday's performances.

The Pathe Weekly film holds a long list of very interesting and highly instructive pictures.

THE OWL THEATRE

"Unto the Third and Fourth Generation" is the title of the feature picture at the Owl theatre, and last night it was well received. Another feature which was well commented upon is "The Unseen Terror," a Kalem two-reel offering, which tells a very dramatic story. Four other good pictures completed a two-hour program which delighted everyone.

A great special feature which should please theatre-goers will be "The Third Degree." This great drama of Charles Klein will be shown here for the first time, and the announcement has everybody talking. The interest centered on this play during its whole season's run at the Hudson theatre in New York city was sufficient recommendation to transfer its dramatic powers to the films, and the Lubin company showed its progressiveness in getting together one of the best film companies on record, and producing this great drama in five unpadded reels, and announcing a number of well-known dramas to be released in the near future.

The wealth of scenery which can be obtained by photography is a great factor in the success of such plays, and the climaxes cannot be described. They should be seen to note the difference between stage and photography. The description of the inside workings of a metropolitan police department is the well-known plot of this great attraction, and it holds its audience in eager suspense from start to finish. The plot is entirely different from the vaudeville sketch of the same name.

GUNMEN BREAK DOWN

"LEFTY LOUIE," "GYP THE BLOOD," "WHITEY" AND "DAGO FRANK" DISAPPOINTED OVER DELAY

OSSINING, N. Y., Jan. 27.—According to their guards at Sing Sing prison, "Lefty Louie" Rosenberg, "Whitey" Lewis, "Gyp the Blood" and "Dago Frank," the four gunmen convicted with former police Lieutenant Charles Becker of the murder of Herman Rosenthal, have broken down under the strain of waiting for the decision on their appeal which they expect within a few days. Whenever the door of the death house opens they spring up from their cots, expecting that a man has come with the announcement. Disappointed, they throw themselves back and rail at the guards. Becker on the other hand is bearing up well under the ordeal.

LOWELL MAN CHOSEN

At a meeting of the real estate auctioneers from cities and towns throughout the state held in the headquarters of the Massachusetts real estate exchange yesterday afternoon, O. F. Noyes of this city was chosen to serve on a committee to consider the establishment of a real estate auction sale service in the city of Boston. The committee will go over the entire situation and report at a meeting to be held shortly. The other members of the committee are: Lewis J. Buck of Boston, Harry C. Byrne of Roxbury, J. J. Conroy of Boston and ex-Mayor William H. White of Lawrence.

THE BON MARCHE

Results of the Clerks' Competitive Sale and Prizes Awarded

The five clerks who won prizes on their per cent gain over their own sales of a year ago for the same period were as follows: Ruth Anderson of the ribbon department, first prize, with a gain of 180%. Sarah Bambrick of the kitchen department second prize, with a gain of 157%. Lulu LaVigne of the ribbon department, third prize, with a gain of 107%. Minnie Sullivan of the handkerchief department fourth prize, with a gain of 103.1%. Margaret McCarter of the kitchen department, fifth prize, with a gain of 102.9%. The five clerks who received honorable mention and their per cent gain, were Mary Taylor of the suit department with a gain of 100%.; Catherine Fitzpatrick of the knit underwear department with a gain of 63%; Frederick Dubois of the dress goods department with a gain of 64%; Molly Rogers of the handkerchief department with a gain of 59% and Eva Suprenant of the shirtwaist department with a gain of 58%. The departments that won the banquet soon to be given at D. L. Page's and their per cent gain are as follows: Ribbon department, with a gain of 123.28%; book department, with a gain of 37.14%; dress goods department with a gain of 55.63%; notion department with a gain of 63.23% and handkerchief department with a gain of 46.64%. The departments that received honorable mention and their per cent gain are as follows: Toilet goods department with a gain of 45.72%; knit underwear department with a gain of 43.71%; women's suit department with a gain of 24.68%; kitchen furnishing department with a gain of 22.35% and corset department with a gain of 21.99%.

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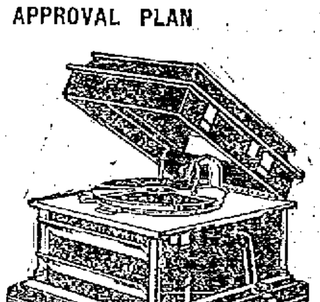

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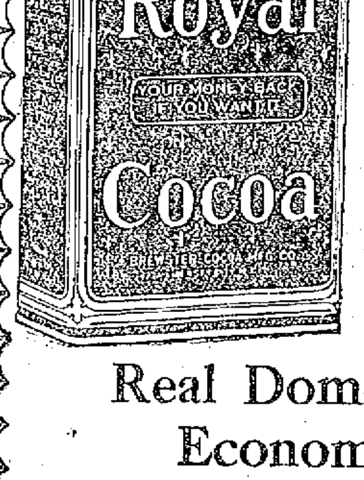

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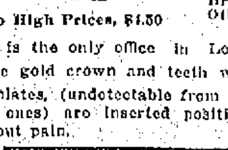

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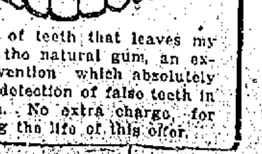

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SISTER MASS OF FLAMES

Invalid Leaps From Bed to Aid Her—Miss Fannie Crane Will Die of Injuries—Man Overcome

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—One woman was so badly burned that she is dying at the city hospital, another was slightly burned about the hands and face and a man who rushed to their assistance was taken from the burning room by firemen, partially overcome by smoke, during a fire which started in the kitchen of the tenement on the third floor of the house at 96 East Canton street early last evening.

The woman at the hospital is Miss Fannie Crane, aged 65, and single. Her sister, Miss Susan Crane, also single and about the same age, who has been an invalid for a year, was burned when she left her bed to go to the assistance of her companion. Cornelius Shea, who lives on the floor below, was the man overcome by the smoke.

The two women, who have lived in the South End all their lives and who have occupied the apartment on East Canton street for more than 20 years, lived alone. The elder, Miss Fannie Crane, for the past year has cared for her sister.

Nobody in the house could tell last night how the fire started, but it is believed that the dying woman was attempting to light a lamp in the kitchen, when it exploded, setting fire to her clothing and the furniture.

Miss Susan was in her room asleep when she heard the screams of her sister, whose peril seemed to give her a strange strength, for she arose and made her way to the kitchen, being stopped at the door by her sister, who, shrouded in flames, was trying to get out of the room.

With her bare hands the sick woman was trying to beat out the fire when Shea, who heard the screams, dashed into the apartments.

Grabbing a big piece of cloth, Shea pushed Miss Susan aside, and starting at her sister's head, wound the cloth about her, smothering the flames. He then carried her from the room to the hall.

In the meantime, neighbors seeing the smoke pouring through the windows, sounded an alarm from box 77, at the corner of East Dedham and Albany streets. When the firemen arrived they found the burned woman in the hallway, with her sister leaning over her in tears. In the apartment Shea was at work trying to extinguish the fire.

As the firemen entered, Shea dropped, overcome by smoke, and was carried out to the street. Members of the crew of Ladder 3, under the direction of Capt. Coulter, carried the burned woman to the street and applied first aid treatment.

The patrol wagon from the East Dedham street station was called and the woman was removed to the city hospital, where the doctors said she could not recover. The building is owned by the Boston Corporation company and the damage was placed by the police at $50.

EIGHT PERISH IN STORM

Pacific Coast Emerging From Grip of Storm That Swept the Entire Region

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 27.—The Pacific coast was emerging today from the grip of a storm that has drenched the entire region from the Canadian to the Mexican line. Latest reports place the storm's death toll at eight. High water has caused much damage to property, particularly in south California, and railroad service in this state and Nevada has been badly crippled. Traffic conditions are expected to improve in the next 24 hours, however.

The rainfall yesterday in the southern part of the state was tremendous. At Pasadena the total for 24 hours amounted to nearly five inches.

The Sacramento river climbed almost to 26 feet, the highest since 1903.

Washouts have disrupted train service in various parts of the state. Through service between San Francisco and Los Angeles has been impossible for 48 hours. Heavy snow falls and washouts have tied up traffic in various parts of Nevada. A Southern Pacific train is stalled between Wabuska and Hazen. Several miles of track were swept away by high water on the Nevada, California and Oregon road and floods on the Virginia and Truckee line have cut off Virginia City. Rotary snowploughs have cleared the Southern Pacific Ogden line tracks in the high Sierras and snowbound trains were released.

In Oregon and Washington considerable damage has been caused by heavy winds.

SUPT. THOMPSON RESIGNS

From the Head of the Saco-Lowell Shops in This City—The Taylor System Involved

Albert W. Thompson, who for the past two years has been superintendent of the local plants of the Saco-Lowell shops, the "Big Shop" and the Kitson Machine Co. has tendered his resignation and his successor, E. E. Blake of Biddeford, Me., is expected to take up his new duties tomorrow morning.

Mr. Thompson is a Lowell man, but previous to his coming as the head of the "Big Shop" he was connected for years with Amoskeag Mfg. Co., of Manchester, N. H. He is a qualified expert in textile machinery and has to his credit a widely used device for humidifying the atmosphere of textile and other factories.

It was under Mr. Thompson's management that the so much talked about Taylor system was installed at the local plant of the company, the installation alone, it is said, cost over $15,000, not counting the running expenses of it, which it is understood are very high. With this system every operation of the machinists is registered, as well as the time spent on each piece of work. The employes of the plant are not much pleased with it and accordingly it has been the topic of much discussion at meetings of the recently organized union among the employes of the shop.

Mr. Thompson to a Sun reporter last night stated the need for increased economy of administration is really pressing under present circumstances, and accordingly he felt it his duty to ask to be relieved as soon as convenient for the company. He said his successor has been appointed in the person of Mr. Blake of Biddeford, Me., who will supervise both the Biddeford and Lowell plants. It is understood that considerable changes are to be made in the plant, and the employes feel confident that the Taylor system will disappear with the former superintendent.

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LOWELL BAR ASSOCIATION

The members of the Lowell Bar association held their annual meeting this morning in the local court room, previous to the regular session of court. President William A. Bent presided and James J. Kerwin submitted the annual report of the treasurer.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, William A. Bent; vice presidents, Judge John J. Pickman and John J. Hogan; secretary and treasurer, James J. Kerwin; executive committee, Frank E. Dunbar, Judge Frederic A. Fisher, William H. Wilson, Hon. Dennis J. Murphy and Daniel J. Donahue.

On recommendation of the executive committee it was voted to close all offices at 6 o'clock on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, and between the hours of 1 and 6 o'clock p. m., on Saturdays.

Judge Fisher moved, and it was voted [illegible] the place of the annual banquet, and the arrangements for the same were left with the executive committee.

CRIMINAL LIBEL CHARGED

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 27.—The charge by Judge Joseph E. F. Donnelly and the jury's verdict were all that remained today to complete the trial in the superior court of Rev. Wilbur F. Berry, D. D., of Waterville, editor of the Christian Civic league record on the charge of criminally libelling Associate Justice George F. Haley of the Maine supreme court. The evidence for the state and all that the defense was permitted to introduce was all in and the arguments for both sides were made before court adjourned last night. An early verdict was expected.

CONVENING OF CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Sen. Shafroth of Colorado is pressing the judiciary committee for favorable action on his resolution to amend the constitution so as to make the date of the convening of congress the first Monday in January following the election instead of March 4, and to have the term of the president begin the third Monday in January instead of March 4. In a statement presented to the committee, the senator asserted that the proposed change in the date of the opening of congress would prevent such a situation as arose in the Hayes-Tilden contesting 1876.

The Home Beauty Parlor

By Betty Dean

Janet: Stop that falling hair right away, for it irritates the scalp. The constant scratching you speak of may be dangerous. Finger nails often poison the skin. Conquer the dandruff at once with this simple tonic—made by dissolving one ounce of quinzoin in one half pint of alcohol and adding one half pint cold water. This is a refreshing treatment—excellent for preventing that irritated scalp. It will not change the natural color, but will heighten it and add life and freshness.

Valaze: I do not approve radical measures for beautifying the eyes. Here is a home-made remedy which has done wonders for weak, inflamed or watery eyes. Dissolve an ounce of crystos in a pint of water; put two or three drops in each eye two or three times a day. This will enable you to put off the evil hour of wearing glasses and besides being soothing and restful to the vision will emphasize the expression and give sparkle and charm to the eyes.

Maggie O.: I never recommend talcum powder for the face—nor, indeed, is there any ordinary face powder which will answer all the demands. The only thing I can heartily recommend is spurmax, which I have used on the recommendation of Parisian beauty authorities. It is a liquid beautifier which is, also, a good tonic for the skin, protecting it, while at the same time, it makes you look fair, clear and radiant. Get 4 ounces spurmax from the druggist, mix in one half pint hot water and add two teaspoonfuls of glycerine. This will give you enough to last a long time, and is the best way to keep the complexion youthful and natural with a soft, velvety bloom. One application is plenty for several hours' time.

Sue L.: I don't blame you for not being enthusiastic about dieting to reduce your flesh. Many doctors say it is dangerous besides being a martyrdom. It may reduce your vitality and the remedy be more than the disease. [illegible] is easily taken, and is sure to bring down your weight without bad effects of any kind. Dissolve 4 ounces parnotis in 1½ pints water. Take a tablespoonful before meals. Don't be afraid of flabby effects on the skin.

Mary L.: I shouldn't call a pimpled skin and red nose "dreadful disfigurements," especially when they are so easily remedied. Try this greaseless cream jelly briskly massaged into the skin: Get one ounce of almozoin at your druggist's and stir it into a half pint of cold water, adding two teaspoonfuls of glycerine. I will be glad to hear how this helps you. Others are constantly writing me in praise of this wonderful remedy, almozoin, which is fine to prevent wrinkles, flabbiness, sallowness and all skin troubles.

Blonde: I can not advise any bleaching process for the hair. The best way to retain the color of your "golden crown" is to keep the scalp healthy and free from dandruff and dirt. Shampoo often, using only canthrox for the lather. A teaspoonful in a cup of hot water is plenty. There is plenty in a package for fifteen shampoos, and it will leave your hair magnificently clean, fluffy and altogether lovely. Try it. Use no soap. If the scalp trouble continues use quinzoin, for which see answer to Janet.

Miss L. Smith: If looking in your mirror discourages you lately, it does not prove that you are permanently losing your good looks. The probabilities are that you are only temporarily run down, and I would urge you to try this simple home-made tonic: Dissolve an ounce of kardene in half a pint of alcohol, add one-half cup of sugar and enough hot water to make a full quart. Take a tablespoonful before each meal. It will restore your beauty, and with the new blood and strength it will give you, I prophesy a speedy return to your good looks and fine spirits. For the correct complexion lotion see answer to [illegible] Beauty Book, $5. (Adv.)

DROP 200 FEET

Eleven Men Reported Fatally Hurt in Mine Accident

TERRE HAUTE, Jan. 27.—Eleven men are reported fatally hurt today when they dropped 200 feet by the parting of a cage cable at the Sanford Coal mine, four miles west of West Terre Haute.

IN POLICE COURT

James McCarty pleaded not guilty in police court this morning before Judge Fisher to absconding from the state infirmary at Tewksbury and later going back to the institution and soliciting aid. The defendant said that he left the Tewksbury hospital to go to work. He was found guilty and sent to the state farm.

Alexander McPherson and John Devaney pleaded guilty to a similar charge and were both ordered committed to the state farm. Devaney appealed from the sentence.

John Swanson pleaded guilty to drinking too many half stocks last night. He was fined $6. Guerkin Durkin was present at a wedding feast last night and drank a trifle too freely for proper navigation. He was released upon the payment of $2.

Thomas J. Walsh was in very bad physical condition this morning and Judge Fisher sent him to jail for 20 days.

Thomas Devlin was sent to the Thorndike street institution for ten days.

William Wallace escaped with a $6 fine.

Patrick H. Ray got quite drunk and boisterous last night at the home of his brother and caused quite a commotion. He was sent to jail for ten days.

John H. Smith, who has a wife and child in Lawrence depending upon him for support, was given a fine of $6.

John B. Logan was sent to the state farm at Bridgewater. Logan will be transferred from the state farm to the state hospital in Tewksbury.

Bartender Fined $50

Henry Greenhalge, a bartender in the employ of Clarence E. Cunningham, was fined $50 for illegally selling liquor.

27 PAROLES GRANTED

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 27.—Under the indeterminate sentence law, passed at the last session of the legislature, 27 paroles were granted, it was announced here today.

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

PINKLETS

To Clear the Complexion

One result of constipation is to disfigure the complexion with pimples and blotches. This is because poisons which should have been expelled from the body are retained. Cosmetics and ointments will not avail to clear such a complexion. The poisons which cause the disfiguration must be removed as nature intended.

To do this a laxative that will gently assist nature, but which will cause no reacting constipation to aggravate the trouble, is needed.

Pinklets, the dainty new laxative, quickly clear away all offending matter without the least griping or discomfort. So simple is their composition that they can be taken with any other medicine that is not in itself a laxative. In every household such a simple, safe medicine is needed. Pinklets are tiny, sugar-coated granules, easy to take. Your own druggist can supply you. Sold in 25 cent bottles only.

Pinklets are a corrective for bad breath, will clear the complexion, and are recommended for torpid liver, biliousness, headaches, constipation and whenever a gentle laxative is required. Write to the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for Pinklet book. It is free.

DANDELION

TABLETS AND PILLS

A Miracle as a Blood Purifier

Say thousands who have used them. A positive cure for Rheumatism, Constipation and Foul Breath. Best remedy for Liver, Kidney and Stomach. Eliminates all poisons from the systems without griping. Purely vegetable and guaranteed under Pure Food and Drug Law. Free samples on request to SCHENCK CHEMICAL CO., 51 Franklin street, New York. 25 cents a box at

HALE & LYON CO., 67-69 Merrimack Street, Lowell, Mass.

Latest Local Items and Telegraphic News of the World

BOY SERIOUSLY BURNED

While playing in the kitchen of his home, 9 Dutton street, this forenoon, a three-year-old boy named Edward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welch, was badly burned about the body by hot coals which were pulled from a stove.

According to the story told by neighbors the youngster and several companions were amusing themselves near a large stove and while the mother left the room to do her work the stove was opened and several pieces of coal taken out. In some way the child's clothing caught fire and before the blaze could be extinguished one side of his body was seriously burned.

The ambulance was called and he was rushed to the Lowell hospital, where it was stated he would probably recover.

FAULKNER MILLS

At North Billerica Have Closed Down—Lack of Orders the Cause

The Faulkner Manufacturing Co. makers of woolen goods, a firm that has been doing business for over 30 years with a force of nearly 200 employes, has practically suspended all operations for an indefinite period as only a few employes of the finishing room are working at present and it is expected that these will be laid off within a few days. It is stated that lack of sufficient orders is the reason for closing and when business picks up work will probably be resumed.

The Faulkner Manufacturing company's plant is located at North Billerica and until recently has been one of the busiest woolen mills in this section of the country. For the past few months only a part of the employes have been working the 54 hours a week and now only a few men are engaged selling or shipping the small amount of cloth that is on hand.

The cloth manufactured has been of the best quality and the mill was reputed as one of the most reliable in or around Lowell. The plant provided employment for both men and women, a large number of whom live in this city.

SEVEN DROWNED

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 27.—With seven persons drowned, all form of overland transportation either tied up or handicapped seriously, six trainloads of passengers marooned and this section of the state damaged to the extent of more than a million dollars as a result of the unprecedented storm which has been raging since Saturday, prospect of relief brightened with the appearance of the sun today.

The rainfall for the 24 hours ending at midnight was 2.96 inches, making the total for the season 14.32 inches.

At Santa Barbara, where the greatest damage was done a heavy rain was falling this morning.

Tonight, Y.M.C.I., basketball & dance.

LIFER PARDONED

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 27—John Ruddy, who has spent the last 28 years of his life in the state prison here, passed out of the gates a free man today, the board of pardons having acted favorably upon the petition for his release.

Ruddy in a fit of anger killed his father in Lancaster, where he lived with his wife and two sons. He was sentenced to life imprisonment. He was 20 years old then; today he is 68. His wife long ago divorced him and married again, and the two sons have gone elsewhere to live.

Ruddy's release was brought about through the efforts of Dr. Ruddy, his uncle and brother of the slain man. With the exception of the doctor he has not a friend, he said, and it is his intention to go where he is not known and start life anew.

GIVES SON GOOD JOB

ALDERMAN BRADBURY OF LAWRENCE APPOINTS HIS SON ASSISTANT BUILDING INSPECTOR

Alderman Bradbury, of Lawrence, director of the department of public property and parks announced yesterday that he had provisionally appointed his son, Laurence E. Bradbury as inspector in the building inspector's department at a salary of $21 per week.

Recently the alderman gave out a statement that in view of recent legislation which placed added duties upon the local inspector of buildings, that an assistant would be needed in the department.

RUBBER PLATING FOR WARSHIPS

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Rubber plating for battleships is being experimented with by the British admiralty, according to the Globe. The process consists of sandwiching sheets of rubber between layers of toughened steel. The inventors claim that a wall of rubber will have the same effect on cannon shells as sandbags have on rifle bullets.

The many Lowell friends of Felix Gatineau of Southbridge, former president general of l'Union St. Jean Baptiste d'Amerique, will be pleased to learn he has been appointed organizer general for the union and will take up his new duties at once. Mr. Gatineau served as president general of the union for seven years and during his term of office he made a large number of friends in this city, where there are three councils of the union, J. N. Jacques, Carillon and Lavar.

PAWTUCKETVILLE AROUSED

Continued

sale for many years. This land, which is practically abandoned, has no means of approach without trespassing either over land of the Lowell General hospital or over another large area abutting on the Old Meadow road. To run a sewer to this land would doubtless cost not less than $10,000, and it would have to be run over private property with resulting land damage claims against the city. **In order to reach this Ward or Dexter land by any method except an airship, streets would have to be constructed over what is now private property at very great cost for filling and for the land of present private owners, which would have to be seized for the purpose.**

On the face of the situation, it would appear that the Ward land is the kind of property one would give to his enemies only, and while its mere acceptance by the city would be a matter of no consequence—as it is of so little value that the city would lose practically nothing in taxes—it must be evident that the **citizens would rise in rebellion if any attempt were made to develop the property for contagious hospital purposes in view of the enormous expense that would result.**

Of course, this burdensome donation is made by the Andover street remonstrants to the Pillsbury site for the purpose of obstructing the initiative, but with the necessary names filed upon those petitions the election must go forward, unless meanwhile the municipal council purchases the Pillsbury property.

In view of the repeated threats of the few Andover street remonstrants to the Pillsbury property that they would stop at no expense to prevent the location of the contagious hospital upon the Pillsbury site, their conduct this morning in offering to the city this little area of "no-man's-land," which cost them for the purpose the pitiful sum of $120, renders their present situation grotesque.

The people of this district are determined that Belvidere shall not put a job like that over on Pawtucketville.

"I am confident that the municipal council will not dare to accept this offer as it would greatly delay the solution of the hospital problem and also commit the city to an expense that would probably bring about a movement to recall the officials responsible for any such fatuous action."

FUNERALS

ENWRIGHT—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Enwright took place this morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 40 Roberts street, and was largely attended. A solemn high funeral mass was celebrated at St. Columba's church at 10 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Degan was the celebrant, Rev. Fr. Walsh of Collinsville the deacon, Rev. Fr. Curtin of St. Patrick's church the sub-deacon. The church choir which was augmented by singers from the other churches sang the Gregorian chant. Present at the church service were Mgr. William O'Brien, Rev. Fr. T. Callahan, Rev. Fr. John J. Shaw, Rev. Fr. Kerrigan and Rev. Fr. P. Meagher of Boston. The burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery where the burial service was read by Rev. Fr. Degan, assisted by Mgr. William OBrien and Rev. Fr. Kerrigan. The bearers were Hon. John J. Meehan, Major Robert J. Crowley, Lieut. J. B. Crowley, Dr. M. J. Meagher, Humphrey O'Sullivan, D. J. Donahue, Frank Hayes and William Hayes. Among the many beautiful floral tributes placed upon the grave were large pillow inscribed, "Wife," from her husband, George Enwright, and beautiful pieces from Judge and Miss Mary Enright, Miss Ethel Enright, Miss Nora Enwright, Martin and Miss Mollie O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. John Enwright and family, Mrs. Gildee and family, Mr. Wm. Enwright, Mr. C. F. Enwright, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Farrell, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cronin and Miss Gratton, Mr. Arthur D. Kelley, Maj. Robert J. Crowley, Chas. H. and J. S. Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Conner, Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Farnham, Cosmos club, F. Y. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Dow, D. M. Leary and family, M. J. Finley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Everett Stowell. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

DEPOLAN—The funeral of Mugurdich Depolan took place Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the funeral chapel of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy on Market street. The burial was in Westlawn cemetery in charge of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, wish to express our sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness and beautiful floral offerings sent us by our many friends during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father; also for the spiritual bouquet sent by Mrs. John McQuirk and Mrs. William McCann. They will always be remembered by us.

Signed,
Mrs. Sarah Nicholson,
Mrs. James Cox,
Mrs. John J. Payne,
Mrs. Daniel Gleason,
Miss Rose Nicholson,
Miss Agnes Nicholson.

NEW B. & M. RATES

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—The new freight schedules for the Boston & Maine road were discussed today by officials of the company and the public service commission. The rates are being prepared but will not be filed for some time.

Although in many cities the Chinese are celebrating their new year at the present time, the greater number of Chinese in this city have accepted the new order of things and commenced the new year on the same date as the Americans.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	76¼	75	75¾
Am Beet Sugar	27	27	27
Am Can	35⅛	34¼	34¼
Am Can pfd	95¾	95¾	95¾
Am Car & Fn	50½	50	50
Am Car & Fn pf	116	116	116
Am Cot Oil	42½	42½	42½
Am Locomo	36¾	35½	35⅝
Am Smelt & R	70⅝	69¾	70¼
Am Smelt & R pf	105	105	105
Am Sugar Rfn	108¾	108⅛	108⅛
Anaconda	36¾	36⅜	36⅝
Atchison	100¼	99½	99½
Atch pf	100⅛	100	100
Balt & Ohio	98¼	97½	97½
Balt & O pf	83	83	83
Br Rap Rap Tran	91¾	91⅛	91⅛
Canadian Pa	212½	211¾	212¼
Cent Leather	26½	26⅛	26⅜
Cent Leather pf	97	97	97
Ches & Ohio	67¾	67	67¼
Col. Fuel	33¾	33	33
Consol Gas	136¾	136	136¼
Del & Hud	158½	158	158
Del L & W	405	401	401
Dis Secur Co	18	18	18
Erie	32¼	31⅞	31¾
Erie 1st pf	49½	49	49
Gen Elec	147¾	147¼	147⅜
Gt North pf	129½	129	129¼
Gt N Ore ctf	38⅝	38⅛	38⅛
Illinois Cen	114¾	114¼	114¼
Int Met Com	16	15⅝	15¾
Int Met pf	62	61⅝	61¾
Int Paper pf	38¾	38⅜	38⅜
I S Pump pf	26	26	26
Kan City So	26½	26⅛	26⅛
Kan City So pf	62	62	62
Kan & Tex	24	23¾	24
Lehigh Valley	155¼	154⅛	154½
Louis & Nash	139¾	139½	139½
Mex Cent	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
Missouri Pa	30	29	29½
N Y Central	95¾	94¾	95
Nor & West	104¾	104⅛	104⅛
North Pac	116	115⅛	115⅜
Ont & West	31	29¾	29¾
Pennsylvania	115	114¾	114¾
People's Gas	123⅝	123¼	123¼
Pressed Steel	35¾	35	35
Ry. St Sp Co	31½	30½	30½
Reading	170	168⅝	169⅞
Rep Iron & S	27	26	26¼
Rock Is	16⅛	15⅝	15⅝
Rock Is pf	24	22¾	23⅛
St Paul	106	105¼	105¼
So Pac	99⅛	98⅛	98⅜
Southern Ry	27¼	26¾	26¾
Southern Ry pf	84¾	83½	83½
Tenn Copper	35½	34⅞	34⅞
Tex Pac	16¼	16	16
Third Ave	43½	43	43
Union Pac	162½	160¾	161¾
Union Pac pf	84⅞	84½	84⅞
U S Rub	62	60	60
U S Rub pf	102¾	102⅝	102⅝
U S Steel	66⅞	65¾	66½
U S Steel pf	112½	112⅜	112⅜
U S Steel 5s	102½	102¼	102½
Utah Copper	55	54¼	54½
Westinghouse	71½	70¾	70¾
Western Un	64¼	64	64¼

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Mercantile paper 4a4½. Sterling exchange weak; 60 days 483.75; for demand 486. Commercial bills 482¾. Bar silver 68. Mexican dollars 45. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

Call money steady. Ruling rate 1⅞; last loan 2, closing 1⅞a2.

Time loans weak; 60 days 2¾a3; 90 days 3a3½; six months 3¾a4.

LARGE BUYING ORDERS

CAME INTO MARKET TODAY—CAUSED ADVANCE IN PRICES—PROFESSIONAL SELLING QUIET

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Large buying orders came into the market at the opening today and their execution caused an advance in prices. The rise of the international stocks in the London market helped the upward movement, prices here being adjusted to about the level reached abroad. Trading was the heaviest in steel, which opened with a block of 5000 shares at 66 7-8, the highest price of the movement and a gain of 5-8 overnight. Canadian Pacific rose 1 3-4 and Smelting and Amalgamated 1. Consolidated Gas reflecting disappointment over the drop in surplus earnings shown in the annual report fell 1 1-2. Texas Pacific and National Biscuit lost 1. In the general list there was a fractional reaction after half an hour's trading.

Stocks were supplied in large amounts today whenever quotations showed an advancing tendency. The extent of the recent advance made traders reluctant to attempt active operations on the long side in the face of this realizing and the market gradually developed a heavy tone. Lessening of the demand from the shorts concentration of pressure on the Rock Island securities and shifting of the buying movement from the usual leaders to low priced shares were evidences of a weaker condition, which induced holders of long stock to realize whenever opportunity offered. Signs of moderate purchases of an investigation character were apparent, the inquiry from this source was neither as large nor as varied as on recent days. By noon the level of prices was depressed under yesterday's close.

Professional selling was less active in the afternoon and the market showed signs of increasing strength. Recoveries were small being retarded by U. P.'s poor report for December and by selling of New Haven, which declined 1 1-4. Foreign representatives were more active than for some time. London bought more than 50,000 shares. Progressive lowering of money rates influenced the demand for bonds.

The market closed firm. Bear operations were resumed for a time, but support appeared and the list again hardened. Reading and Canadian Pacific ended with gains of about a point and a point and a half respectively, but otherwise there were no changes in the day.

COTTON SPOT

Cotton spot closed quiet. Middling Uplands 12.90. Middling Gulf 13.10. Sales 1200 bales.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
RAILROADS			
Boston & Albany	191	191	191
Boston Elevated	84¾	83	84½
Bos & Maine	51	50½	50½
N Y & N H	75¼	74¾	75
MINING			
Adventure	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Allouez	38½	38	38
Arcadian	3⅝	3¼	3¼
Arizona Com	5¼	5	5
Cal & Arizona	67¾	67½	67¾
Cal & Hecla	435	435	435
Chino	42	41½	41½
Copper Range	39¾	39	39
E Butte	12⅞	12⅞	12⅞
Franklin	4⅛	4	4¼
Granby	84½	83	83
Greene-Cananea	39⅝	38	38
Hancock	20	20	20
Indiana	5¾	5¾	5¾
Kerr Lake	6	5	5
Mass	3	3	3
Mayflower	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Mohawk	45½	45	45½
Nevada	16¾	16⅛	16⅛
Nipissing	7½	7⅜	7½
North Butte	29½	28¾	28¾
No Lake	2⅞	2⅝	2⅝
Old Colony	4¾	4¾	4¾
Old Dominion	52¾	52½	52½
Osceola	79	79	79
Rav Con	19⅝	19	19
Santa Fe	2⅞	2	2⅛
Shannon	6⅞	6¾	6¾
Superior	29	28½	28¾
Superior & Boston	2¾	2⅝	2⅝
Tamarack	31	31	31
Trinity	5	4¾	4¾
Tuolumne	75c	70c	75c
Utah Cons	10¾	10⅛	10⅛
Wolverine	46	46	46
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	124	123¾	123⅞
New Eng Tel	140	140	140
MISCELLANEOUS			
Mass Elec	13	13	13
Mass Elec pf	65¾	65¾	65¾
Am Pneu pf	19¼	19¼	19¼
Mass Gas	93	93	93
Mass Gas pf	92½	92½	92½
United Fruit	168	168	168
United Sh M	55¾	55¾	55¾
UNLISTED SECURITIES			
Alaska Gold	23½	23	23
Am Ag Chem Com	56	55	55
Am Ag Chem pf	96½	96	96½
Am Woolen pf	83¾	82	83½
American Zinc	20¾	20½	20¾
Butte & Superior	36¾	34⅞	35⅞
Isle Royale	22½	22	22
Lake Copper	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞
Miami Cop	24¼	23⅞	24¼
Pond Creek	20¼	20	20¼
U S Smelting	42¾	42¼	42¼
U S Smelting pf	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝
Utah-Apex	2	1⅞	2
BONDS			
Am Tel & T 4s	89	88⅝	88⅝
do con 4½s	99⅛	99⅛	99⅛

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Copper shares opened firm but in light demand. Later the market softened under a fair amount of selling. The early strength of Butte & Superior which rose to 35 1-8 was the feature.

COTTON FUTURES

	Opening	Close
January	12.33	12.25
March	12.56	12.46
May	12.33	12.26
July	12.30	12.21
October	11.69	11.55

CARPENTERS - PAINTERS

Commissioner James E. Donnelly has received communications from the carpenters and painters' unions to which he has made a reply, the letters and answers being here appended.

The carpenters ask that the men of their craft in the employ of the Lands and Buildings department be put on the 44 hour a week basis, at 45 cents an hour.

The painters ask that the sub-contract for the painting of the Greenhalge school addition be given to a

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ARE UNLAWFUL REBATES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Millions of dollars paid annually to great industrial plants—so-called trusts—by railroad systems in the form of "allowances" or special services, were held today by the inter-state commerce commission to be unlawful and unreasonable preferences, in fact unlawful rebates operating to the disadvantage of similar manufacturing concerns.

REVOLUTION IN HAITI

CAPE HAITIEN, Haiti, Jan. 27.—The revolution in Haiti is spreading all over the north. At Port De Paix and Gonaives the entire population has risen. Two prominent exiles, General Carlos Samor and General Beaufosse Larache, both of them former ministers of war, returned today to Cape Haitien which is in the hands of the rebels.

FALL RIVER STRIKERS RETURN

FALL RIVER, Jan. 27.—The first break in the ranks of the striking folders of the American Print works is reported this afternoon when a woman folder returned to work under the working, conditions and schedule of wages prevailing at the time of the strike three weeks ago. The strikers have selected Thomas McMahon, president of the Providence Union of Folders, as their representative on the special board of investigation recommended by the state board of arbitration and conciliation to ascertain conditions at the print works.

SOCIAL GATHERINGS HELD

A pleasant gathering of relatives took place last night at the home of Mrs. Joseph Desrosiers, 429 Moody street, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Renault, relatives from St. Felix de Valois, Que. The guests were numerous and all spent a most enjoyable evening. A dainty luncheon was served and a musical program was rendered by the following: Diana Desrosiers, Georgiana Desrosiers, Joseph Larivière, Mrs. Lucien Ducharme, Elizabeth Labrie, Joseph Asselin, Ovila O'Connor, Noe Daunais, Frederick Desrosiers, Eusebe and Narcisse Asselin, Louis Renault and Louis Asselin.

TO VISIT THE POPE

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 27.—The Rt. Rev. John J. Nilan, bishop of the diocese of Hartford, will sail for Rome on Saturday to report on diocesan conditions to the pope.

NEGRO WAS LYNCHED

MUSKOGEE, Okla., Jan. 27.—Benjamin Smith, a negro charged with the murder Sunday night of W. A. Chafin, a traveling salesman at Oklahoma City, was removed from the Purcell jail early today by a mob that came in automobiles, taken to Noble, nine miles north of Purcell and hanged. The negro's body was then riddled with bullets.

The jailor was alone when the mob arrived and soon was overpowered. Chafin, the man killed, was first robbed and then shot.

MRS. SARAH JONES DEAD

She Was a Direct Descendant of John Howland, Who Came Over on the Mayflower

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—Sarah Howland Jones, wife of Captain George Jones of Downers' Grove, Ill., died at the family home today after a long illness, aged 77 years. She was a direct descendant of John Howland, who came over in the Mayflower. She conducted a private school at Amherst, Mass., the place of her birth and had among her pupils the late Eugene Field, poet and writer, and his brother, Roswell.

EMPLOYMENT OF WOMEN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Louis D. Brandeis of Boston today filed with the supreme court a brief on behalf of the attorney general of Ohio in support of the constitutionality of the Ohio law prohibiting the employment of women in certain industrial pursuits for more than ten hours in any one day or more than 54 hours in any one week. He emphasized in the brief the evil effect of excessive working hours on health, morals and efficiency. He said fatigue was a poison generated during activity and removed during rest.

EXPLOSION ON MAURETANIA

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 27.—The Cunarder Mauretania suffered only slight damage from the explosion of compressed gas which occurred on board yesterday, killing four men and injuring several others. Only the blade, in a starboard paddle, was affected. There will, however, probably be some postponement of her sailing for New York, which was fixed for Feb. 14.

REV. FR. MULVANITY ORDAINED

A very impressive ceremony took place at the early mass on Sunday morning at St. Patrick's church, in Nashua, when Rev. Frank A. Mulvanity was ordained to the holy priesthood. The Rt. Rev. Dr. George Albert Guertin, bishop of Manchester, officiated and was assisted by the pastor of St. Patrick's, Rev. Matthew Creamer.

BILLY HAMILTON

It was announced today that Billy Hamilton, the former manager of the Lynn club and manager of the Fall River club during the latter part of last season, will direct the movements of the Springfield team of the Eastern association next season.

The announcement was a big surprise to all those conversant with baseball doings in both the New England league as well as in the Eastern association. It was thought that Hamilton would stick with Dan Clohecy in his shift of locations from Fall River to Haverhill, but the Springfield owners engaged him before Clohecy had an opportunity to forestall their attempt with an offer of a larger salary.

Hamilton has been identified with minor league ball for many years and is well known throughout the New England circuit. After his experiences with this circuit during the past few seasons, however, the old-timer decided to try and land a berth outside the New England league and his jump to Springfield is the result. Billy numbers many friends among the Lowell fans.

THREE CHILDREN KILLED

HALEYVILLE, Ala., Jan. 27.—Three small children of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Rowland here are dead tods, as the result of eating rat poison while their parents were away from home visiting.

PARTY IN KENWOOD

A most enjoyable party was held last night at the home of Miss Mae Daures in Kenwood, Dracut, the affair being conducted under the auspices of the K. E. C., a recently formed organization among the young people of the district. There were many guests present and a pleasant evening was spent.

MURDER OF HUSBAND

LEWISTON, Me., Jan. 27.—A special to the Lewiston Journal says that Hilda Kokkonen of West Paris was arraigned today in Norway before Judge W. F. Jones on the charge of causing the death of her husband, Otto Kokkonen on Dec. 27 last, by shooting. She was bound over without bail to the March term of court.

CAPT. RHODES DEAD

EAST PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 27.—Captain Samuel R. Rhodes, the last of the old American Steamboat company's commanders, died here today in his 79th year. He was well known in shipping circles along the Atlantic coast and during the Civil war was master of transport steamers.

FOR USE OF DRYDOCK

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The senate today passed a bill authorizing the secretary of the navy to contract for the use of a drydock at Hunters point, San Francisco, for six years. The drydock is to be large enough to accommodate the largest vessel that can pass

HOSPITAL SITE

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would not ask for any money for Labor day this year because of the city's financial condition. The usual appropriation for Labor day is $1000.

A motion offered by Commissioner Brown to the effect that the state commissioner of taxes be invited to come to Lowell for the purpose of examining the work of the local assessors was unanimously adopted.

Mayor Calls to Order

Mayor Murphy called to order at 11.20 with all members present.

The first business before the council had to do with the petition of the Merrimack Mfg. Co. for the storage of gasoline and it was referred to the commissioners of streets and highways and public property and licenses and chief of the fire department.

The mayor read the petition of the N. E. T. & T. Co. for pole locations on the westerly side of Newhall street and the matter was open for a hearing. There were no remonstrants and the petition was referred.

Another petition by the same company was for two pole locations in Burn st. Mr. O'Connell, Mrs. Lannon and Mrs. McGreevey appeared as remonstrants and on petition of Commissioner Donnelly the petitioners were given leave to withdraw.

The application of Henry E. Mills to be appointed as surveyor of lumber was read and on motion of Commissioner Donnelly the request was granted.

John J. Cox submitted a bill for personal injury and it was properly referred.

Another claim was by one Mr. Bachelor for injury to an automobile and it too was referred.

Asks to be Pensioned

The mayor read the request of Thos. Howarth for retirement on the pension list. Mr. Howarth has been in the employ of the city, in the street department, for a great many years. He is a veteran and 75 years old. The matter was referred.

Numerous minor petitions for wire attachments, etc., were referred.

Fox's Pension Decreased

Mayor Murphy referred to the pension of Police Officer John W. Fox. He said the amount fixed last year by the council was illegal as it exceeded the lawful amount and on the mayor's suggestion Commissioner Brown moved that the amount be fixed at $2.70 a day. Mr. Murphy said he thought it advisable to take this action lest the action of the former council might invalidate Mr. Fox's pension. It was voted to place the officer's pension at $2.70 a day. Mr. Fox is now receiving $2.75 a day.

Investigate the Assessors

At this point Com. Brown presented the following motion:

For the purpose of needed improvements in the office of the board of assessors and for the purpose of raising the standard of public service in that office, I move that this council hereby extend to the commissioner of taxation of the commonwealth of Massachusetts an invitation to make a thorough examination of the office of the board of assessors, of the city of Lowell and to make such suggestions and recommendations as he believes necessary to bring about a more just and equitable valuation of property; both real and personal, and the board of assessors, of the city of Lowell, is hereby requested to extend to said commissioner of taxation an invitation of a character similar to this and are requested and instructed to give said commissioner of taxation, in said examination, all assistance and information within their power. Said commissioner is requested to employ in such examination any help or assistance deemed necessary by him, the expense thereof to be borne by the city of Lowell, if no provision of law exists for its payment otherwise.

Supports His Motion

In support of his motion Com. Brown spoke as follows:

There is a very widespread public opinion, shared in by some members of this body, that one of the chief causes of our financial difficulties is to be found in the manner of assessment of property as carried on by the board of assessors.

For many years the members of this board, for the purpose of retaining their positions, felt justified in seeking the favor of those who might be in position to help or injure them and without doubt many inequalities of assessment and other abuses crept into the office and their eradication is a matter that should interest all who believe in an equitable assessment and a fair and just rate of taxation.

It is a matter of very common knowledge that the residential property of the city, more particularly the residential property of medium value, is carrying more than a fair proportion of the burden of government as is conclusively proven by the fact that the sale of property of their character frequently brings prices considerably below the assessed value.

As against this the business property of the city is grossly undervalued by the assessing board and all of the most valuable of such property is closely held by owners who refuse to put it on the market at any price.

From observation and some information I firmly believe that the greater part of valuable, personal property of the investment class, in this city, is absolutely undiscovered by the assessors and remains entirely untaxed.

The law is adequate and gives the assessors ample power to reach and assess such property. It does not meet the situation for the high salaried officials of the board to say they are doing the best within their power if the filling of sworn returns is an event of such rare occurrence in the assessors' office as to cause comment.

Any person reasonably believed to be the owner of valuable, personal property should either pay a tax on that which he admits he owns (for all purposes other than taxation) or he should be so treated by the assessors under the powers conferred upon them by statute that he will reveal fairly and fully all that he is blessed with in assessable property.

I am aware that my attitude in this matter is displeasing to that class of citizens who go to any lengths to defraud the city from its just dues in taxes (the only real source of municipal revenue) and who preach municipal betterment at the expense of labor and at the cost of needed improvements.

I called attention to these matters in my inaugural as mayor. My attitude in January 1912 when agitation of this character was begun was in favor of full and complete light in the assessors' office and the improvement of conditions therein. I repeated my belief in these matters in a statement read by me when this government came into office.

In the assessors' office there should and must be ability, industry and above all a courage that knows no brother and that overcomes everything that stands in the way of honest and just taxation.

Brown is Complimented

Col. Carmichael said he was very glad to second Mr. Brown's motion, because, he said, he believes that a man owning property should pay taxes upon it

"I commend Alderman Brown for presenting this matter. I think it is one of the best things done this year," said Mr. Carmichael.

The motion was adopted unanimously.

Land for Hospital

"This morning," said Col. Carmichael, "I am called upon to perform a very pleasant duty. The letters and the deeds will tell the story better than I can tell." Mr. Carmichael then read, as follows:

January 24, 1914.

To the Municipal Council of the City of Lowell.

Having acquired an option on the four and 967-1000 acres of land owned by Adelaide Ward and located next westerly of the land of the Lowell General hospital, near where the tuberculosis camp is situated, I hereby offer to deed and convey said land to the city of Lowell, free of charge and expense to the city if the city will accept the same, for the purpose of establishing an isolation hospital thereon, pursuant to the provisions of statutes of 1911, chapter 613, and acts in amendment thereof, and on the condition that the city shall, within one year, begin the construction upon said land of said isolation hospital, and shall construct and thereafter maintain such isolation hospital upon said premises.

Yours truly,
Ellen E. Dexter.

The commissioner then read the deeds and conveyances of the property in the following sequence: From George M. Ward to Adelaide Ward; from Adelaide Ward to Ellen E. Dexter and from Ellen E. Dexter to the city.

Commissioner Carmichael said he did not want the council to take any action in the matter until the council had given it due consideration.

Besides the amount of land included in the gift offered by Mrs. Dexter, Mr. Carmichael said there are between seven and eight acres of land adjoining the land described in the deeds that can be purchased for $1000.

Brown Says be Careful

"I am very much pleased," said Com. Brown, "that the council took no other action than to receive the letters and deeds and place them on file for it behooves the council to go very slow in this matter. It may be that the people behind this gift are determined to block the purchase of the Pillsbury estate at any cost and we don't know what sort of trap we may be led into. I was told today that people opposed to the erection of an isolation hospital on the Pillsbury estate had paid $720 for the land that is being offered the city here today.

"There is no getting away from the fact that a great expense would attach to the erection of a hospital on that site because it is solid ledge, or at least I have been given to understand so. It would be necessary to build a long stretch of sewer and what would come to us seemingly as a gift might cost half a million dollars in the end. We had our experience with ledge in the building of the comfort station and we know what a dear job it is. Then comes the question of a right of way across the land of the Lowell General hospital and I presume that might mean court proceedings. Let us in-

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THE PLUMBERS COUNCIL

WANT JOURNEYMEN PLUMBERS WHO DO GAS FITTING TO PASS SPECIAL EXAMINATION

The semi-annual convention of the State Plumbers' council was held Sunday afternoon in Central Labor union hall, Springfield, with nearly every city in the state represented by members. The work of the state board of conciliation and arbitration in averting and settling labor disputes during the past year was commended and resolutions urging the enactment of a state law to provide for special examinations for plumbers who do gas fitting were adopted. Communications will be sent to unions all over the state asking them to affiliate with the state branch of American Federation of Labor. If this law is passed only plumbers who have licenses will be allowed to do gas fitting and in order to secure a license a rigid examination must be passed.

KNABE SIGNS THREE MEN

BALTIMORE, Jan. 27.—Manager Otto Knabe of the Baltimore Federal league baseball club upon his return today from a long western trip, said he had signed three new players while away. He refused to give their names but said that two of them were major league men and the third played with a minor league team last year but belonged to a big league club.

FITZSIMMONS TOO OLD

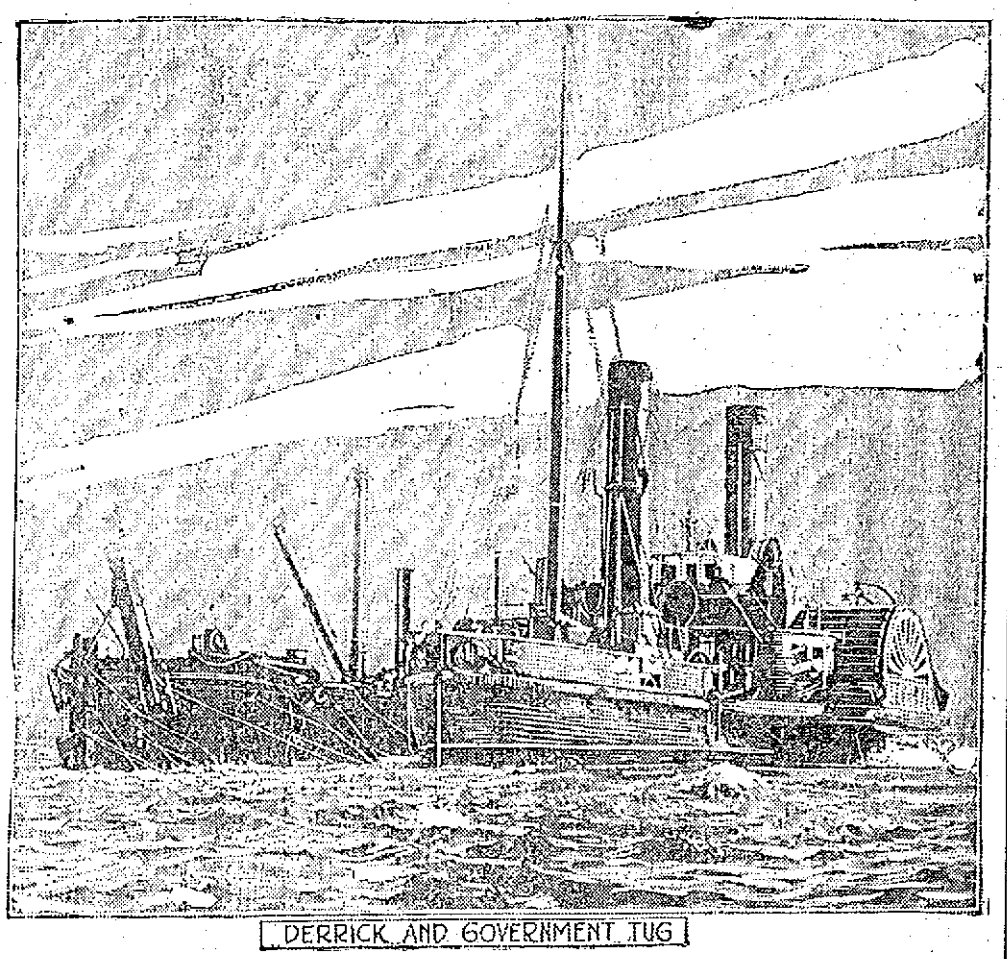
NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The supreme court today denied the application of Robert Fitzsimmons, one time heavyweight ring champion of the world, for an injunction restraining the New York Athletic commission from refusing to sanction his participation in boxing exhibitions in this state. The commission held that Fitzsimmons at 51 years is too old to re-enter the ring.

Henri Amedee Archambault, son of Undertaker Amedee Archambault, has received his diploma from the New England Institute of Anatomy and Embalming of Boston.

An Excellent Lotion For Rough, Coarse Skin

The hand of Time touches lightly the skin of women who avoid greasy, pore-clogging creams and use some reliable lotion instead. An ideal lotion for the face, neck and arms can be prepared at little cost by dissolving an original package of mayatone in one-half pint witch hazel. The use of the mayatone lotion will clear and make soft a "muddy," blotchy, rough skin. It is fine for pimples and blackheads and to restore the glow of youth to the rough, faded skin.

Wrecking Boats Which Will Lift To Surface British Submarine That Sank With Eleven Men



DERRICK AND GOVERNMENT TUG

LONDON, Jan. 27.—The British submarine A-7 will soon be raised. She carried eleven officers and enlisted men down to death in her fatal plunge during the recent maneuvers near Plymouth. The British navy will abolish the use of this style of submarine. The illustration shows a derrick and a government tug carrying divers at the spot in the English channel where the A-7 has been discovered to be lying in about 100 feet of water.

Athletes and Athletics

Finney Boyle did a quick job on Eddie Martin of New York last night in their bout in Dover, N. H. The big city scrapper lasted but three rounds with the Lowell boxer. Finney slid a hard right hand smash to his opponent's jaw after being outpointed for the first two sessions. Martin, however, did the local boy little damage but managed to keep away from him by clever foot and glove work.

If you will notice the Federals are signing but very few young ball players. The majority of players who have sent in their signed contracts to the outlaws are men who are very nearly passe in the game. The youngsters feel that the older organizations are the more certain proposition and consequently look down with askance upon proffers from the new league.

The track meet between the high school team and a squad of ex-high school track stars which was scheduled for next Saturday night at the high school annex has been called off. "Rach" Leggat had a likely looking bunch of track and field men on his list and the chances were strongly in favor of a win for the Alumni.

Sam Langford is once more the hero of Paris fight fans although his position must be admitted to be one notch less than that of Carpentier, who Bombardier Wells made famous. Sam's victory over the Englishman, Curran, the other night greatly tickled the Frenchman. Curran only lasted a portion of the first round during which the Boston Tar Baby planted both hands in his face at will.

Freddie Yello will meet Walter Mohr, the Brooklyn lightweight tomorrow night at New Bedford and looks like a winner although Mohr is a tough customer for any of the 133 pounders. Neither man will weigh in at the limit of the class. The bout will go twelve rounds and is attracting considerable attention throughout New England.

Snodgrass and Wilson have signed up with the Giants and put to sleep the rumors which had them both with the Federal fold. There is scarcely a player of prominence who has not been mentioned as a Fed, in fact a well known ball tosser might become famous by announcing that he never harbored the idea of signing with the outlaws.

The American amateur team traveling through Australia scored three wins in the big meeting held Saturday. Jimmie Power, the Boston miler, won his event in 4.25 4-5 on a slow track. Parker, the California sprinter, carried away the 220 yards and the quarter mile as well both in fairly fast time. The events were only mediocre in performances and none of the American athletes lived up to their past records.

We're all with you, Matty, and hope the Red Sox will strike a streak of hot weather on their southern trip. Any pitcher who wins 19 games out of 29 for us is certainly deserving of a lot of rooting at least and we wish you the best of luck in the "big show."

Manchester is a fine city for anyone except a local boxer—not. In fact it is practically impossible to beat a Manchester scrapper in his home town unless one carries concealed weapons. When the report reached us that Al Shubert only got a draw with Young Morgan we threw up our hands. Shubert did everything but knock the Manchester boy out, we are informed, but still only got an even break. Young Shepard did the same thing and Finney Boyle and Young Thomas walloped Young Chackus to their hearts' content and only received draws. It is a good town for a boxer to stay away from.

The report that Alec Pearson may manage Lewiston doesn't sound bad at all. Alec knows baseball and is very popular with his fellow players. The Lawrence pitcher can play most any position in either infield or out and knows the theory of the game to perfection. Manager Pieper depended more on Pearson's judgment last season than he did on his own under some circumstances.

Ad Wolgast is once more nearing a position where he can justly demand a battle from Willie Richie. The former champion's showing against Rivers shows that he has certainly mended his ways as he promised his friends that he would and is once more a real fighting machine. A brace of bouts like that one in which the Mexican was worsted and Wolgast will be calling the present champion all the harsh names in his vocabulary if he doesn't give him a date.

Clark's orch., Y. M. C. I., tonight.

D.D.D. Prescription—for 15 years the standard skin remedy—a liquid used externally—*instant* relief from itch.
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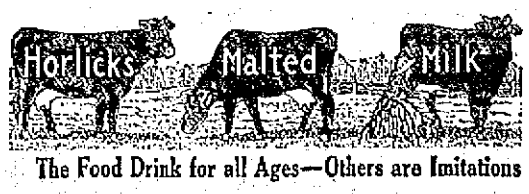

The Food Drink for all Ages—Others are Imitations

Colonial Theatre
ODD FELLOWS BUILDING MIDDLESEX ST.
2nd Anniversary
JANUARY 28, 29, 30, 31
Souvenirs to ladies Wednesday, Thursday and Friday matinees. Souvenirs to children Saturday matinee. Special features, Special soloists and music. No increase in prices.

YOUNG HEBREW ASSO.

WILL RUN A BALL IN LINCOLN HALL FEBRUARY 18—PRESIDENT GENERAL COMING

The members of the Young Men's Hebrew association held an important meeting last night at their headquarters in Middlesex street, and after transacting considerable business it was voted to run a ball, and accordingly a committee was appointed to look after the details of the affair, which promises to be a great event among local Hebrews.

The affair will be conducted in Lincoln hall on Feb. 18 and the guest of the evening will be the president general of the Y. M. H. A., Abraham Klubock, Esq., of Boston, who will deliver an address on the advantages to be derived from the association by the men. The hall will be beautifully decorated fo the occasion and the committee in charge will arrange with local and out-of-town talent for a concert in the early part of the evening.

Those in charge of the arrangements are as follows: Sigmund Rostler, chairman; Max Greenberg, general manager; Samuel Smith, chief aid; Frederick Greenberg, floor director; and all other members of the association, aids.

The members of the Merrimack lodge of the Independent Order Brith Abraham, No. 256, are also making arrangements for their annual ball which will be held some time in March.

CHIMNEY FIRE

Hose 7 was called out at 11.10 this morning to a chimney fire in the Corbett building at the corner of Gorham and Winter streets. The chimney caught fire from sparks but the blaze was extinguished without any damage to the property.

GUNMAN IN NASHUA

A gunman entered Arthur M. Richard's store, 61 Ash street, Nashua, early Saturday evening, and with revolver pointed at Mr. Richard, took between $50 and $60 from the money drawer. Then he escaped.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

LEADERS WON

Co. G. Defeated Co. C in All Departments of Armory Athletics

Company G strengthened its lead in the armory tournament last night by passing out a beating to Company C in every branch of their military athletics. The entire 12 points, for which the two teams played, were carried off by the G athletes.

C forfeited the basketball game and in its stead an exhibition game was staged by the G men and a picked team from the Lowell Military association. The G basket shooters were easy winners, making 36 points to their opponents' 9.

In the shooting it was ahead by a comfortable margin, 327 to 299 being the final score in this event. Lieut. Doyle's 72 was high. Musician Nault shot the best string for the losers.

On the alleys C was just as badly outclassed as in the shooting gallery. Every string went to G and the last box showed a 1303 to 1240 for the league leaders. Capt. Jeyes' 278 was high. The scores of the various contests are as follows:

Shoot

COMPANY G

Lieut Waller	64
Private Duff	65
Corp. Murphy	66
Lieut. Doyle	72
Corp. Barry	60
Total	327

COMPANY C

Private Moir	45
Sergt Benoit	66
Musician Nault	67
Private McGarr	59
Private Weiss	62
Total	299

Range officer, Lieut. Doyle.

Basketball

COMPANY G		L. A. A. A.
McGookin	rf	lb Mann
Gibson	lf	rb O'Sullivan, Gleason
Barton	c	c G. Lynch, Young
St. Peter	rb	lf Hanson
Keeler	lb	rf Hurley

Score: G 36, L. A. A. A. 9. Fouls: G, 5; L. A. A. A. 1. Baskets: McGookin 11, Gibson 4, Barton 3, Mann, Gleason. Timer, Anderson. Scorer, Crowell.

Bowling

COMPANY G

	1	2	3	T'ls
Jeyes	103	84	91	278
Green	81	76	88	245
Taylor	86	84	74	244
Loupret	89	85	97	271
Lyons	85	95	85	265
Totals	444	424	435	1303

COMPANY C

O'Brien	91	76	74	241
Stack	85	98	77	260
Sullivan	82	83	98	263
Murphy	85	76	79	240
Laliine	76	77	83	236
Totals	419	410	411	1240

BARACA LEAGUE

The standing of the teams in the Baraca league as well as the individual averages are as follows:

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Calvary Baptist	34	10	77.3
First Baptist	33	11	75.0
St. Paul Meth	26	18	59.1
Highland Meth	19	25	43.2
Immanuel Baptist	18	26	40.9
Trinitarian Cong	18	26	40.9
Swedish Meth	16	28	36.4
First Prim. Meth	12	32	27.3

Individual averages week ending Jan. 24:

Myrick 11, Moody 98, Turner 95, Perrin 95, Rowen 94, Harrinnn 94, W. Davis 94, Chapman 94, Burt 93, Whitelock 93, Shepard 93, Brown 93, B. Richardson 92, Herron 91, Gordon 91, Kilpartrick 91, A. Willis 90, Dr. Davis 90, F. Schonhom 90, J. Richardson 90, Abbot 90, Holden 90, A. Mason 90, Hoban 90.

FACTORY LEAGUE

Tremont & Suffolk Rollers in Lead—Three Tied for Individual Honors Last night

The team standings and individual scores in the Manufacturers' league up to last Saturday are as follows:

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Tremont & Suffolk	10	2	83.3
Merrimacks	7	5	58.3
U. S. Cartridge	7	5	58.3
U. S. Bunting	7	5	58.3
Bigelow	6	6	50.0
Hamilton	5	7	41.7
Appleton	3	9	25.0
J. P. S.	3	9	25.0

Individual averages over 85:

F. O'Brien 92, Jim Manning 92, Singleton 92, Arnold 91, Lees 88, Burtt 89, Jodoin 88, Sweeney 89, McDermott 89, J. O'Brien 88, Fortier 88, Murphy 88, Herron 87, Gleason 87, Guirk 87, Lafleur 87, Armistead 86, C. Farrell 86, Mosher 86, Whalen 86, Haberman 86, Montgomery 86, Lane 85, Van Zant 85, Panton 85, Lane 85, Buckley 85, Jack Manning 85, Calvert 85, Hudson 85, Stack 85.

Meeting Friday night, Jan. 30, 1914.

BASKETBALL AT Y. M. C. I.

Tonight, in the Y. M. C. I. hall, the second of the series of basketball games and dances will take place, when the Belvidere aggregation will meet the strong C. M. A. C. team, which represents the club of that name from Pawtucketville. A record crowd is expected, for both teams have a large following. The crowds at the Y. M. C. I. are increasing each week which speaks well for the return of basketball in this city, and if the interest continues to increase the Belvidere club promises to furnish some rare sport for patrons of the game.

Dancing after the game, which was given a trial, was a big success last Tuesday, and it is the intention of the club to have dancing after the game every week from now on. Tonight music will be furnished by Clark's xylophone orchestra. The game will start promptly at 8 o'clock and dancing will be enjoyed from 9 until 12.

Basketball & dance, Y.M.C.I., tonight.

COLONIAL THEATRE

On Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week the Colonial will celebrate its second anniversary and special programs have been arranged, which will give to its patrons the finest shows ever seen in Lowell. Valuable souvenirs will also be given to ladies at matinees on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and to children at Saturday matinee. Special music and soloists have also been engaged.

On Wednesday and Thursday Mr. Knapp has booked the famous high-class detective story, "Fantomas" or "The Man in Black"—a four reel feature of wonderful acting. Five other reels will be added to the show—making a show never to be forgotten by the people of Lowell. The Colonial has the envied reputation of producing the cleanest and clearest photoplays in the city.

HUB-MARK RUBBERS

See that the Hub-Mark is on the rubber before you buy. It is your insurance of Standard First Quality Rubber Footwear for every purpose
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ZIESER SIGNS

Former Lowell Pitcher Sent in Signed Contract to Red Sox

Our old friend, Matty Zieser, has at last cast his lot with the Boston Red Sox and passed up the flattering offers made to him by the Federals. Matty signed up with the American leaguers yesterday or at least his contract was received by them late yesterday afternoon.

Matty feels very optimistic about his chances of sticking with the big show this season and only asks for some hot weather in which to work out his arm

MATTY ZIESER
Pitcher

on the spring training trip. Zieser always does more effective work when Old Sol is making life miserable for the bleacherites and if the Red Sox strike hot weather down south the chances are strongly in favor of the former Lowell pitcher making good from the start.

Many people are of the opinion that Zieser is an old timer in baseball from the fact that he stayed with the local team for the past several seasons. Matty, however, started his baseball career in 1911 with the Dubuque club of the Three I league and is only a youngster as baseball players go.

Lowell fans will always carry a warm spot in their hearts for Zieser. Not only was he a potent factor in the winning of this year's New England pennant but his work on the slab during the Hartford post-season series was one of the biggest features of the local team's win.

Zieser is a sidearm or "sidewheel" pitcher and has often made a joke of the fact. It is a fact that "sidewheelers" are seldom picked up by the majors but the splendid work of Zieser for the Lowell team impressed Scout Patsey Donovan so forcibly that he strongly recommended to Manager Bill Carrigan the drafting of the local pitching standby. Zieser's work during the training season will be watched with great interest by the local fans.

HOT CONTESTS

Some Fast Games Were Rolled Off Last Night—Leagues Were All Busy

The pin boys were busy in all the local alleys last night and many league games were rolled off. The Saco-Lowell Bowling association dropped two games from their schedule as a result of last night's play.

In this league the Shop Five had no difficulty in taking all three strings and the total from the Office team winning by the score of 1366 to 1264. Martin put up the high total of 310 and the high string of 110. The Shippers won their contest from the Pattern Shop by the closest score of the evening but one pin separating the two aggregations at the conclusion of the roll.

The Immanuel Baptist quintet won their game from the First Primitive Methodist bowlers in the Baraca league by the score of 1385 to 1343. Whitelock of the winners took high honors with a total of 307 while Barris single of 113 was the best.

Over in Belvidere the Brownies showed up strong in their Concord league contest with the Fairmount Five. The score showed the Brownies a 1451 to 1360 winner. The score of the winners was the highest team total made last night. T. Clark was high with a single of 131 and a total of 311.

Two contests were played off in the Manufacturers' league. The Cutters took a game from the Toolers and the Bunting showed themselves superior to the Merrimack rollers. Lane and Buckley of the Buntings were tied for high total honors and Buckley carried off the league's single string with 100. The scores:

Office: Harrall, 269; Farrell, 256; Hammond, 235; Silcox, 250; Baker, 242; totals, 1264.

Shop: Linscott, 274; Curry, 275; Phaneuf, 244; Lane, 263; Martin, 310; totals, 1366.

Shippers: Bibeault, 263; Boardman, 258; O'Neil, 267; Welcome, 246; Monahan, 261; totals, 1295.

Pattern Shop: Thurber, 255; Shaw, 257; Goulart, 253; Grant, 265; Sharpe, 261; totals, 1294.

Immanuel Baptist: Pauly, 264; Bennett, 287; Whitelock, 307; A. Mason, 260; Gordon, 265; totals, 1385.

First Prim. Meth.: H. Mason, 246; Fielding, 257; Taylor, 288; Barris, 254; S. Willis, 298; totals, 1343.

Fairmounts: Lemire, 274; Gillis, 276; Roscoe, 269; McCaffrey, 240; A. Doyle, 301; totals, 1360.

Brownies: T. Clark, 311; F. Finnerty, 294; Cooney, 264; Concannon, 284; P. Clark, 298; totals, 1451.

Merrimacks: Wallace, 237; Panton, 275; Fortier, 265; Herron, 261; Sweeney, 254; totals, 1292.

U. S. Bunting: Riley, 272; Smith, 253; Lane, 286; Buckley, 286; Burtt, 262; totals, 1365.

Toolers: Hughes, 241; Holmes, 300; Barber, 231; Bradbury, 254; Maguire, 242; totals, 1168.

Cutters: Lane, 247; Fletcher, 229; McElroy, 243; Erieson, 250; Ellis, 235; totals, 1204.

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TO PUNISH VIOLATORS

In the new anti-trust plans of President Wilson, one of the greatest departures from the old order in his announcement that he will not direct his energies to the punishment of previous violators of the Sherman anti-trust law but favors a policy that will punish those personally responsible for illegal monopoly in future—presumably by a prison sentence. For this purpose the new laws to be formulated and passed will have criminal provisions which were not included in the Sherman act.

This policy has been criticized in several quarters as being dangerous and reactionary. The danger that is anticipated consists largely in a hostile attitude of business leaders against the administration, but of this there can be little fear if we are to take the expressed approval of business for guidance. It ought to be sufficient to vindicate the government that the anti-trust methods of the Taft regime, which though active were inefficient, show unmistakably the need for some more practical method of dealing with violators of the anti-trust laws. Not even the leaders of the government suits against the Standard Oil and other big corporations were blinded into thinking that there was anything more than a fake submission to federal authority. Fines in cases of such violations as were proved against the ineffectually reformed companies are wholly inadequate; the Wilson plan of direct personal responsibility seems to be far the better way. If there is anything to be feared from possible business opposition, such opposition based on abused special privilege could not last long against federal adherence to the terms of the new law.

The absolution of business from past offences will bring about a spirit of greater co-operation, but there will be cases where the confidence of the government will be abused. Yet after the passage of the tariff and currency measures, there would be little good and much danger in raking over past records of business for the purpose of effecting prosecutions. The miracle of absolute compliance with the law is too much to expect, but to the credit of the administration it must be admitted that business has shown a better spirit towards the government than at any time during the last two administrations.

Though the government will not proceed against corporations and business firms for past violations of the law, it does not by any means remove from the offenders the stigma of the offence or protect them against the just law suits of individuals or other business firms. As a proof of what may be done in this regard is a pending suit by which the receivers of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad are bringing civil action against the men who were the directors of that system from December 1, 1909, to June 1, 1910, to recover the sum of $14,000,000. The suit is in accordance with recent instructions of Circuit Judge Walter H. Sanborn and gives as its ground of action that the men proceeded against "unlawfully, carelessly and negligently caused the Frisco to expend $14,408,921 . . . without receiving anything of value in exchange," and that "without lawful authority they caused a large debt to be created against the Frisco corporation."

If the stockholders can thus indirectly cause suits to be brought against wasteful boards of directors and if the heads of business are made personally responsible for any tendency to monopoly in restraint of trade, it seems as though the law is being brought nearer to the people. There is nothing reactionary in this as it simply does away with the barriers of legal technicality that formerly obtruded itself between the offending firm and the principle of the Sherman anti-trust act.

GOVERNOR OR POLICE CHIEF

Just when the country was beginning to accept as final the news that Col. Goethals was to be the first governor of Panama comes the rumor that he has been selected by Mayor Mitchel to be the chief of the police forces of New York, and that there is every probability of his accepting the position. It is being hinted that the delay of the administration about settling the government of Panama on a permanent basis is responsible for his determination to become New York's police chief. Although there is no doubt that the conditions in New York call for a leader of the highest ability, and that the brilliant colonel has all the characteristics needed for the ideal man in the position, Panama is the place for him at the present time. The engineer who builds a great canal has ability of a kind that cannot be utilized at the head of a police department, and great though the demands are, the position is not worthy of such a phenomenally brilliant man as Mr. Goethals.

There can be but little truth in the rumor that the famed canal builder is selecting the New York position as a means to future political advancement, for his past actions show that he does not regard mere political preferment as desirable. It is perfectly natural that he should urge the government to settle the affairs of the isthmus, for if the administration of affairs there is left in a state of confusion or placed in unworthy hands, the benefits of the canal will be minimized. The canal has made the new Panama and Goethals has made the great canal. He is the man for governor, and it will not be to the credit of the government if through procrastination or something less excusable he is permitted to become the head of the New York police department—great though the gain would be to the metropolis.

HOME RULE ASSURED

Throughout the strenuous home rule fight which has been waged in the British Isles for months past few of the leaders most interested have done more and said less than John E. Redmond, the brilliant leader of the nationalists. While Carson and Craig and O'Brien were pouring out passionate protestations and threats to the press of the world he has gone on solidifying his party, and attending to all the details of the fight which has meant so much for Ireland under his wise and prudent leadership. At critical times, however, he has given out messages notable for their optimism, prudence and moderation as well as for their eloquent patriotism. Such was his speech at Waterford on Sunday in which he said: "Every sane man knows that, bar accidents, the home rule bill will be the law of the land this year."

To those who sincerely or otherwise make the ridiculous proposition that the majority in Ireland should be guided by the uncompromising minority, Mr. Redmond made the following answer:

"If any change is made in the home rule bill, it will only be to buy the good will of our opponents. But I say frankly that I see no prospects of their good will being purchased at any price whatever. That good will is worth purchasing at a big price, but any change in the bill should be consistent with the unity of Ireland. There are no lengths short of abandonment of the principles you and I hold to which I would not go to win the confidence of the men of Ulster."

This has been his attitude from the first, for while he has gone more than half way in consenting to any reasonable measure that would placate the hostility of the Ulster malcontents, he has not for a moment consented to anything that would interfere with the national unity of Ireland.

SAFETY FIRST

The Sunday meeting of railroad men in Boston with its three thousand in attendance representing all grades of railroad men from the president of the road down to the oiler of the engine is significant of the great change that has come over the relationship of the railroads and the public and is representative of the policies that must be adopted before reconstruction sets in. At last in the department of safety to the public, technicalities have been set aside and the human element has entered in. There was no formal following of prosaic precedent, but in simple straightforward style Howard Elliott dealt with plain facts in plain language, urging the fullest co-operation between all classes of railroad employes and promising to be one of them in the great work of safeguarding the patrons of the railroad.

It now remains for the public to do its part in this as in all other matters affecting its relationship to the railroads. Too often in the past railroad wrecks and other accidents were dealt with as though the heads of the departments were indifferent or worse. In caricature, news item and editorial the railroad officials were represented as human monsters interested only in the financial aspects of their profession and utterly regardless of the feelings of those who had been afflicted in the many accidents of this part of the country. This attitude must be dispelled, and nothing will conduce more to this end than agitations of of the safety first idea such as that in Boston on Sunday. Not all the carelessness was with the road, and with the public discussion of the matter in all its phases, good is sure to follow.

THE IMMIGRATION BILL

Supporters of the new immigration bill with its literacy test clause such as was in the measure vetoed by President Taft, are urging its speedy discussion in congress. It is being argued, and wisely, that since the agitation of the matter throughout the nation such a short time ago, there is little need to educate the public, and the legislators in Washington have their minds fairly well made up on the matter. Among those who oppose the present bill, as in the case of the discarded one, are many who favor the restriction of immigration but who feel that the proper basis of selection should be a matter of character rather than education. At the present time the country can take care of all the healthy, law abiding immigrants who may wish to come, and there are great possibilities in their future service to the country if fostered by the government. Considering that the administration has been considering the question of better distribution of immigrants it is not probable that the president will favor the present bill. Even should it go through congress he will in all probability veto it as did President Taft.

A MUNICIPAL STORE

An offshoot of the public market plan has been put into operation in Chicago by the opening of a municipal store where groceries will be sold to the poor at cost. If successful, meats and clothing will be added to its stock and the people it is meant to benefit will be enabled to get more of the necessaries of life without being obliged to support the middleman. The market has been opened by the authority of the Chicago city council which recently appropriated $25,000 for the purpose. Though it is yet too early to predict the effect of the venture, many leading humanitarians in Chicago are giving it unreserved praise. The county agent who has been mostly responsible for the movement has declared that it is in no sense a charity institution but a means of teaching the poor economy by selling them necessaries of life at cost. If many agitations in this section will materialize we may see a general adoption of the municipal market idea nearer home than Chicago.

If you should want to see some of the hibernating loafers and near-criminals that infest the parks and playgrounds in the good old summer time you'll find them among those turned out of police court when some particularly notorious unfortunate is to be tried.

A western news item tells that during a third degree "performance" a faked "ghost" was ineffectual in trying to get a confession from an alleged murderer. Somebody should murder the third degree that would permit such revolting horrors.

Those visits to Boston may mean much and they may only lead the government a little further into the Hampton maze of Lowell finance. We do not yet see the Moses who is to lead them out.

Rev. Appleton Grannis has exploded some of the far fetched ideas of race uplift by showing that the damaged dramas leave behind them damaged morals and damaged pocketbooks.

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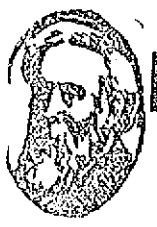

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Seen and Heard

There is a very worthy enterprise being promoted for the purpose of conserving and turning into commercial value the great waste that has been perpetrated throughout the pine forests of Georgia. The stumps and dead timber are by scientific process converted into rosin and turpentine. The enterprise in its infancy had its financial straits, and became embarrassed by debts. The receivers of the company, together with 85 per cent of its creditors, united in a bill petitioning that certificates be issued. To this only one small creditor objected. The federal district court for the southern district of Georgia allowed this small claim to be paid, and permitted the rest of the creditors to receive certificates, saying: "He has a very small regard for the day and time in which he lives who would refuse the opportunity to men when they wish to pay the privilege of expending their own money for continuing this demonstration and bringing to profitable fruition the labors which have been designed by the genius who discovered the process. I cannot find it in my heart to do this. * * * In a long judicial life never have I seen the promise of such amazing benefits in any project for the betterment of all before the court and the people at large." B. Borchardt Co. v. Yaryan Naval Stores Co., 206 Federal Reporter, 366.

Turkeys and Thanksgiving to most stomachs are synonymous. The lordly cousin to the chicken is always interesting even to one who, in view of the high cost of living, may not be able to buy a last year's turkey's nest egg. Perhaps the learned judge in Lewis v. Norfolk Southern Railroad Company of North Carolina (supreme court of No. Carolina), 79 Southeastern Reporter, 283, was thinking of Thanksgiving, for he upheld the rights of turkeys with true Puritan valor. The defendant railroad company was sued for running down and killing six turkeys on its right of way. The court held that the company was negligent in not sounding the whistle when seeing the turkeys. (It might be suggested that the state prosecutes the railroad company for so wantonly destroying the resources of the country.) "From the known characteristics of turkeys, a flock of them feeding on or crossing a track might not notice that the train was approaching or attempt to fly. But, as when a gun is discharged close by, if there had been the sharp blow of the whistle, the turkeys would doubtless have taken to wing or have run. They are very timid if alarmed but they are not alert to perceive danger. * * * The jury would have been justified in inferring from the evidence that the failure to blow the whistle was the proximate cause of the turkeys being killed, and that they would have removed themselves promptly by flight if the whistle had been sharply blown."

In these days of "mud slinging," it might be interesting to note that the following was held not libelous per se in Walsh v. Pulitzer Publishing Company (Supreme Court of Missouri) 157 Southwestern Reporter, 326: "The mere candidacy of such a person as Walsh for such an office should fill the city with alarm. He has no qualifications for the place. His sponsors and his associates are survivors of the most degraded regime that St. Louis ever knew. He can have no proper motive in aspiring to the place." Walsh was seeking candidacy to the office of circuit attorney. The above was published concerning him. He sued for $25,000. The court decided that in as far as the words were not of themselves actionable without the statement of extrinsic allegations, which were not given, plaintiff has no cause of action. The court in part said: "The plaintiff is a lawyer, as is evident from his candidacy, and his reputation, even by the laity, is not rated or his character measured by the standing of his sponsors and associates, which we take to mean his clients. The doctrine of noscitur a sociis, which, liberally Englished, is not with seriousness applied to a lawyer who, if engaged in the criminal practice, may have a questionable class of clients, and yet suffer no discredit therefrom in the estimation of the public * * * While a candidate for a public office is not to be subjected to a discussion in the public press of his reputation or character at the expense of truth, for a lie is never privileged, it is the right and duty of a newspaper to discuss his fitness for the place he seeks in such a manner as to present the full facts to the electors either by contrast or comparison with other candidates, or by an analysis of his individual qualifications."

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The world appeared to him to be
A dismal, dreary place;
He looked at all things gloomily,
A frown was on his face;
He lost his faith, he hoped no more
To see his fortunes rise;
To him existence was a bore—
He needed exercise.

He jumped at every sound and seemed
To be oppressed with fear;
He tossed in bed at night or dreamed
That foes were lurking near;
He saw no promise out ahead,
He shunned the good and wise,
And longed to be among the dead—
He needed exercise.

He got to thinking other men
Conived to do him wrong;
His heart was filled with terror when
He heard a clanging gong;
He lost the hope that he might win
A mansion in skies;
No poison oozed out through his skin—
He needed exercise.

—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Record-Herald.

MONEY

Drink: let the world drink with you;
Laugh, and you'll always have friends;
You're a good fellow when you've got money;
When you're broke—well, everything ends.

Sad? What do you want of sadness?
Grief? They have grief of their own.
But as long as you've got the money
You're as good as a king on his throne.

But don't let the old world annoy you,
Laugh and you'll still have some friends.
But stick to the cash when you get it;
When you're broke—well, everything ends.

ST. MARGARET'S PARISH

TO HOLD JUNIOR PARTY—MEETING OF COMMITTEES LAST EVENING

The committee in charge of the junior party of St. Margaret's parish which will take place in Lincoln hall on the evening of Feb. 6, met last evening and received the reports of the various sub-committees. All indications point to a most successful occasion for the young people of the parish, realizing that the party is in an especial manner for them, have taken hold with a will, and consequently the tickets have sold rapidly.

When the primary arrangements were being made the young people in charge sought the assistance of experienced ladies, so added to the fresh zeal of the promoters of the affair is the wisdom of those who have been long identified with the social affairs of the parish.

A committee of the following ladies are seeing to it that nothing will be left undone, to make the evening of the 6th of February a most enjoyable one. Mrs. George B. Green, with whom the the idea of the junior party originated, is at the head of the ladies' committees.

Printing and music: Mrs. P. Gilbride, Mrs. Patrick Ryan, Mrs. W. W. Murphy.

Committee on refreshments: Mrs. John M. Murphy, Mrs. James F. Morrison, Mrs. Thomas Henry, Mrs. John Connor, Mrs. Agnes Coughlin, Mrs. Frank Campbell, Mrs. Dennis J. Cooney, Mrs. James B. Casey, Mrs. John Condon, Mrs. Wm. F. Daley, Mrs. Richard Donoghue, Mrs. George M. Harrigan, Mrs. Margaret M. Bagshaw, Mrs. Peter Conaton, Mrs. Henry Reynolds, Mrs. Daniel Shannahan, Mrs. Anthony A. Conway, Mrs. James Donovan.

Committee on decorations: Miss Sarah Hennessey, Miss Esther Green, Mrs. John Cunningham, Mrs. Edward Gallagher, Miss Mabel Cassidy, Miss Alice Doherty, Miss Esther Owens, Mrs. Chas. McCarthy.

General manager, Henry Mulcahy; assistant general manager, Chas Callahan. Floor director, Geo. Conley. Assistant floor director, Aloysius Green.

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LAWYER ALBIN L. RICHARDS, FOURTH MEMBER OF WYMAN FAMILY, ON THE PAYROLL

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Albin L. Richards, a lawyer, formerly of the department of government at Harvard college, was on the New Haven payroll at $50 a day, receiving in all $2123, according to the testimony at the resumed hearings on New Haven expenses before the public service commission yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Richards is a brother-in-law of Prof. Bruce Wyman, formerly of the Harvard law school, who previously testified that he received $10,000 a year from the New Haven. Mr. Richards secured his employment with the New Haven through Ferdinand A. Wyman. Prof. Wyman's father, who himself was employed by the New Haven for $50 a day.

This testimony was given yesterday by Ferdinand A. Wyman, Jr., Prof. Wyman's brother, who himself told of receiving more than $600 from the New Haven for assisting his father in interviewing business men on matters of interest to the New Haven.

SIR EDWARD CARSON

REPLIES TO REDMOND IN A MORE PEACEABLE TONE THAN USUAL BUT INDEFINITELY

LONDON, Jan. 27.—Sir Edward Carson, leader of the Ulsterites, in a speech at Lincoln last night, said he was ready to join John Redmond, the Irish nationalist leader, in an attempt to extend real local government to Ireland or to remove any abuses or injustices, social or religious. Referring to Mr. Redmond's speech at Waterford on Sunday, he declared:

"If this is the last word from his side we are in a lamentable and critical state of affairs. I am a man of peace, but not of peace at any price."

In his speech Mr. Redmond said that if any change was made in the home rule bill it would only be to buy the good will of the opponents of the bill and he added that he saw no prospects of their good will being purchased at any price whatever.

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MANICURE GIRL SUES

BOSTON YOUNG WOMAN ASKS FOR $10,000 FROM INSURANCE AGENT IN LOST LOVE SUIT

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Emily R. Sampson, formerly a down town manicurist, yesterday entered a $10,000 attachment in a suit for breach of promise against Charles M. Estabrook, treasurer of the local agency of the Brotherhood Accident company.

Estabrook, who is not married, lives at 391 Ashmont street, Dorchester. He last night denied that the allegations of the manicurist were true.

"About a year ago I met this woman in a barber shop in the basement of 23 Exchange street," said Estabrook. "She was a manicurist, and I had my nails attended to.

"She has a husband living, from whom she is divorced for about a year."

"I have written no letters to the woman nor have I given her any presents. I shall fight the suit. She has sued me for $10,000, but she can't get blood out of a stone."

SUBSTITUTE FOR RADIUM

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Dr. Francis B. Donoghue of Boston, before the house mines committee yesterday urged that the committee include in any legislation for protecting the radium supply, "substitutes for radium."

He said that meso-thorium, a much cheaper product than radium, was equally effective.

TALLEST OF BOSTON COPS

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Boston has a new tallest policeman. The new record-holder, who is six feet, seven and one-half inches in height and weighs 203 pounds, is John J. Maloney, who until yesterday was a member of Fire Engine company 12 of Dudley street, Roxbury. He began his first tour of duty at the Hanover street station last night.

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vestigate this thing thoroughly before we go any further with it."

Hospital Without Cellar

Mayor Murphy called Com. Brown's attention to the fact that up to date hospitals are not provided with cellars and so far as the expense of the sewer was concerned the mayor thought that Mr. Brown had a rather exaggerated idea of it. "There's a sewer now extending to Dunbar avenue," said the mayor, "and that is very close to the land in question."

"I beg to differ with the mayor, there isn't any sewer extending to Dunbar avenue," said Mr. Brown. The commissioner allowed that an isolation hospital would have to be provided with a cellar and digging in that section, he said, would entail enormous cost.

Com. Morse wanted to know if the land in question had been looked over by last year's government and Com. Brown said that the council of last year visited the land. Mr. Morse said he knew it was a tough country up through there but he had his doubts about a half-mile or so of sewer costing half a million dollars.

Mr. Brown suggested that the engineer be called upon to furnish plans in order to give the council members a better idea of the location of the land in question, but the mayor said that inasmuch as the council had not taken any action in the matter, further than to receive and place the communications on file, it would be better for the council to investigate and talk the matter over later.

Don't Want Any Money

The mayor then read the following letter from the Trades & Labor council, breathing the spirit of co-operation:

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 24, 1914.

To His Honor, the Mayor, and Members of the Municipal Council.

Gentlemen:

For a number of years the Trades and Labor council of Lowell have celebrated Labor day by a parade in the morning, sports of various kinds on the South common in the afternoon and a grand labor demonstration and band concert in the evening.

The successful observance of the day has been due in a great measure, to the fact that we have received an appropriation of $1000 from the city government.

At a meeting of the council held Thursday evening, Jan. 22, 1914, the question of celebrating Labor day in the usual manner was discussed at considerable length. It was the unanimous opinion of the delegates that, owing to the city's financial condition at the present time, it would not be fair to ask for an appropriation this year, and it was unanimously voted that we dispense with the usual celebration this year, thereby saving to the city the $1000 usually appropriated for that day.

It was also voted to instruct the secretary to notify your honorable body to that effect.

Trusting that one year hence our city's financial condition will be such that we can again feel justified in asking for an appropriation, and wishing your government every success, I remain,

Respectfully yours,

Chas. E. Anderson, Secretary.

Mayor Murphy said it was very refreshing to receive such a letter and on motion of Commissioner Brown the city clerk was instructed to convey to the Trades and Labor council, by letter, the municipal council's appreciation of its attitude, co-operation and good wishes.

HOT TEA BREAKS A COLD—TRY THIS

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburg Brust Thee," at my pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.

It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.

FUNERAL NOTICE

MacCALLUM—The funeral of the late Mrs. Louise M. MacCallum will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 146 Aiken avenue. A solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FUNERALS

WATTS—The funeral of Calvin M. Watts took place yesterday afternoon from the rooms of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons. Rev. C. E. Fisher officiating. The body was entombed at the Edson cemetery, awaiting relatives from the west. Arrangements were in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CARKIN—The funeral of Charles H. Carkin took place from the rooms of Undertakers J. B. Currier Co., 58 Prescott street yesterday afternoon, and was well attended. The services were conducted by Kirby Taylor of the Plymouth mission, Tyngsboro, and appropriate selections were sung. The sons acted as bearers and burial was in the family lot in Flint's corner cemetery, in Tyngsboro, where Mr. Taylor read the committal service at the grave. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers J. B. Currier Co.

JOHNSON—The funeral services of Miss Mary A. Johnson took place at the home of Mr. A. C. Blaisdell, at Wamesit, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Sarah A. Dixon, pastor of Tewksbury Congregational church. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

CARKIN—The funeral of Charles H. Carkin, an aged resident of Worcester, was held from the rooms of Undertakers J. B. Currier & Co., Prescott street, yesterday at two o'clock. A large number of friends of the deceased listened to the reading of the funeral service by Kirby Taylor of the Plymouth mission, Tyngsboro, after which several beautiful hymns were sung. From the undertaking rooms the body was borne to the Flint's Corner cemetery, Tyngsboro, where after the committal prayers had been offered by Mr. Taylor, it was interred in the old family lot. The sons of Mr. Carkin acted as pallbearers.

PERRON—The funeral of Mrs. Joseph Perron took place this morning from her home, 307 West Sixth street. High mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock at St. Louis' church at 9 o'clock by Rev. J. B. Labossiere. The bearers were Amedee Caron, Albert Gendreau, Joseph Martin, Joseph and Frederick Gendreau and Anthime Bonin. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Amedee Archambault.

DEATHS

BALLOCK—Mrs. Elizabeth Ballock died Jan. 15 at her home, 21 Riddle avenue, Wilmington, Del., aged 39 years, 3 months. She was a former resident of Centralville, this city. Besides her husband, John Ballock, she leaves seven children, James, Jeanie, John, Violet, Edna, George and Jessie; her mother, Mrs. J. Muir of this city; five sisters, Sarah and Jessie Muir, Mrs. Thomas Ritchie, Mrs. James Dinwoodie and Mrs. William M. Kinley, the latter of Paisley, Scotland, and two brothers, James Muir of this city and John Muir of Norwich, Conn.

PARKER—Frederick H. Parker died yesterday afternoon at his home in Billerica Centre, aged 66 years. He leaves, besides his wife, Katherine G. Parker, two sons, Stephen H. and Gardner Parker, and two brothers, J. Nelson of Billerica and Frank W., of Otis, Me. Mr. Parker was a member of Thomas Talbot lodge of Masons; Shawsheen lodge, I. O. O. F.; Lowell council, 8, Royal Arcanum, and the Billerica grange. He had been in business in Lowell and Billerica for the past 35 years.

MacCALLUM—Mrs. Louise M. MacCallum, wife of John E. MacCallum, and a much esteemed young woman, died yesterday at St. John's hospital, aged 30 years. Besides her husband, she leaves a daughter, Eveline; her parents, Joseph and Mary L. Leduc, and one brother, Henry. The body was taken to her home, 146 Aiken avenue.

WEBSTER—Enoch Webster died last night at his home, 333 Mammoth road, aged 82 years. Besides his wife, Nancy M., he leaves one son George W., of North Adams; one sister, Mrs. Caroline Moulton of Lowell; one granddaughter and one grandson. He was a well known veteran of the Civil war, having served in the 30th Massachusetts regiment.

LITCHFIELD—Hiram Litchfield, 69 years of age, of Somerville, died at his home yesterday of pneumonia. Mr. Litchfield was a member of the Spalding Light Cavalry association of Westford and attended the reunions of the association.

SAUVAGEAU—Eveline Sauvageau, aged 21 years and 8 months, a well-known resident of this city, died last night at her home, 65 Bowers street. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sauvageau; two brothers, Alfred and Odilon; six sisters, Regina, Beatrice, Blanche, Bertha and Ida of this city, and Alexina in Canada.

DESMARAIS—Raymond, aged 7 days died last night at the home of the parents, Hermenegilde and Antoinette Desmarais, 1 Pike block, Marshal street.

OLD FOLKS FIND NEW REMEDY RELIEVES ALL KIDNEY AND BLADDER MISERIES

Drives Rheumatic Pains Away, Relieves Backache and Bladder Disorders After a Few Doses Are Taken

Sleep disturbing bladder weaknesses, backache, rheumatism, and the many other kindred ailments which so commonly come with declining years, need no longer be a source of dread and misery to those who are past the middle age of life.

The new discovery, Croxone, overcomes all such disorders because it removes the very cause of the trouble. It soaks right into the kidneys, through the walls and linings; cleans out the little filtering glands and cells, and gives the kidneys new strength to do their work properly. It neutralizes and dissolves the poisonous uric acid substances that lodge in the joints and muscles, causing rheumatism; and makes the kidneys filter and sift out all the poisonous waste matter from the blood and drive it out of the system.

It matters not how old you are or how long you have suffered, Croxone is so prepared that it is practically impossible to take it into the human system without results. You will find it different from all other remedies. There is nothing else on earth like it. It starts to work immediately and more than a few doses are seldom required to relieve even the most chronic, obstinate cases.

It is the most wonderful remedy ever made for restoring the lifeless organs to health and strength and ridding the system of every particle of uric acid, and you can take it with the utmost confidence that nothing on earth will so quickly cure such conditions.

You can obtain an original package of Croxone at trifling cost from any first-class druggist. All druggists are authorized to personally return the purchase price if Croxone should fail in a single case.

No Hairy Growths After This Treatment

(Beauty Notes)

After much experimenting it has been found that delatone is as effective for removing hairy growths as the electric needle. And the argument in favor of the new method is that it is inexpensive, painless and takes little time. Here is the treatment: With powdered delatone and water mix enough paste to cover the undesirable hairs, apply and after two or three minutes rub off and with it comes every trace of hair. The skin should be washed to remove the remaining delatone.

The Pictures Are Before You—CHOOSE!

Take a good look at these pictures—they tell the story of TWO KINDS OF DENTISTRY. The right-hand picture is of a woman being treated in the old, harsh method employed to this day by many dentists. Note the rigid position of the patient as she sits upright gripping the doctor's arm, hindering him in his work, and making her own pain necessarily greater. Every nerve in her body is on edge—every muscle tense—she is indeed the personification of fear and pain. THIS IS DENTISTRY AS I DO NOT DO IT.

Now turn to the picture on your left. Here you see restfulness and relaxation, a patient that feels no pain yet is in control of every other sense. She can talk and hear and watch the doctor, unhindered, do his very best work. This is an example of DENTISTRY AS I DO PRACTICE IT. This is what

"NAP-A-MINIT"

Used by Dr. Gagnon in His Superior

PORCELAIN DENTISTRY

Has done for all my PATIENTS—"Nap-A-Minit" is a positive pain destroyer and absolutely eliminates all pain in dentistry. With its use one may have teeth and roots extracted, nerves removed, cavities prepared and filled, crowns and bridge work inserted and every conceivable kind of dental operation performed without the slightest fear or dread, because IT WILL NOT HURT.

Now that you have seen the two pictures and know the story that they tell, it is up to you to CHOOSE if you have dental work to be done. Will you have pain and harsh treatment or will you have "Nap-A-Minit" and no pain at my offices? There is little doubt about your answer and when you come here you will find the greatest service and value-giving dental offices in New England.

Dr. A. J. Gagnon 109 MERRIMACK STREET 166 MERRIMACK STREET

CARPENTERS—PAINTERS

Continued

union painting contractor. The correspondence:

The Painters' Letter

Lowell, Jan. 26, 1914.

Mr. James E. Donnelly,

Dear Sir:—We have been given to understand that the general contract for the addition to the Greenhalge school has been let to the D. H. Walker Co., and that the sub-contract for the painting has not been let yet. If this is the case we would like to have you use your influence to have a union painting contractor get the job.

If you will make an appointment a committee from the union will be pleased to talk the matter over with you any time after next Thursday.

Thanking you in advance, I remain,

A. C. Barker, Sec. Local 39.

Mr. Donnelly's Reply

January 23, 1914.

Mr. A. C. Barker,
175 Crosby Street, City.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 20th inst. and confirming statement made to your committee this morning regarding the painting of the Greenhalge school addition, will say, that previous to assuming my present position as head of this department, this work had been mapped out by my predecessor and it was definitely decided that the painters employed by this department would do this work.

I cannot see any reason why this should not be my course, for the reason that the painters employed are first class workmen and it is my intention to employ only union men on this job.

The annual appropriation for this department is small for the amount of property that must be cared for and the number of men employed. We must, therefore, take advantage of special appropriations and employ our own men on work of this kind whenever they can be worked to advantage. I believe in giving men steady employment if it is possible to do so but I cannot do this if work that can be done by employes of this department be let out by contract. A job like this will give the men two or three weeks' work which they would otherwise lose.

I also feel that tradesmen employed in this department should receive the same wages and work the same number of hours as those employed by local contractors. In my estimate of the cost of maintaining this department for the year I have figured on paying the union scale and if this department receives a sufficient appropriation to enable me to do this you may rest assured that the employes thereof will receive union wages and work union hours.

Sincerely yours,

James E. Donnelly,
Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses.

The Carpenters' Letter

Lowell, Mass., Jan. 26, 1914.

Mr. James E. Donnelly, Commissioner of Public Buildings.

Dear Sir: At a recent meeting of the Carpenters District Council it was voted unanimously to ask your co-operation to put the men in your employ on a forty-four (44) hour basis and 45 cents an hour.

We believe that this rule should go into effect for the reasons that the carpenters about the city have been getting these conditions for the past two years and we believe that the city should be the one to take the lead in giving their employes the better conditions.

We send the request at this time so that you can add to your appropriation the necessary sum to comply with this request.

Should you desire more information on this matter our committee stands ready to appear before you at any time that you may state. Trusting you will give this communication due consideration, we beg to remain.

Sincerely yours,

Carpenters, D. C.
Joseph A. Pion, for the committee.

Mr. Donnelly's Reply

Jan. 27, 1914.

Mr. Joseph A. Pion, Secretary, Carpenters Union, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir: In answer to your letter of the 26th instant, will say that my reply to your union will be practically the same as that made recently to the Painters' union; namely, that I feel that tradesmen employed in this department should receive the same wages and work the same hours as those employed by local contractors.

In making up my estimate for the year I anticipated your request and therefore figured accordingly.

If this department receives a fair appropriation, the men of your craft employed herein will certainly receive union wages and work union hours.

Sincerely yours,

James E. Donnelly,
Commissioner of Public Property and Licenses.

TALBOT CLUB DANCE

EMPLOYES OF CLOTHING STORES HELD SECOND ANNUAL DANCE IN BOSTON LAST NIGHT

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—The Talbot club, composed of employes of the Talbot Clothing stores in Boston, Lowell, Fall River, Providence, Taunton and other New England cities, held an annual ball in Howe hall, Huntington avenue, last evening.

The affair was the second of its kind to be held by the club. Last year 150 couples were present, but this year showed a decided increase and more than 300 couples were present. Providence sent the largest delegation of any of the out-of-town stores. More than 50 people were present from that city. Fall River sent 10, New Bedford 6 and Newport 4.

The invited guests were Mrs. G. N. Talbot, the wife of the president of the Talbot company, who is now in Florida; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Macomber of Waverley, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Talbot and Max Talbot. Mrs. G. N. Talbot was presented a large floral offering by the employes shortly after the dance got under way. A unique feature of the dance was that the crowd all joined in singing the latest songs of the day between the various dances.

BOUND AND LEFT TO DIE

NORTH ADAMS, Jan. 27.—Medical Examiner O. J. Brown began an investigation yesterday of the alleged deathbed statement of Simeon Baraxnole that he had been bound, robbed and left to die in a burning hut at Somerset, Vt. Baraxnole died at the North Adams hospital today.

GENT'S WATCH LOST; 17 JEWELS, gold filled, had no chain ring on it; inscription on the inside, T. J. O'Connor; lost between Mansur and Concord sts., by way of Nesmith, Chestnut and Fayette sts. Finder please return to 34 Agawam st. and receive reward.

MACHINE MADE DRESSES

LIKE CUT $1.95 — LIKE CUT $2.95 — LIKE CUT $3.95

3500 Tub Dresses

Being offered you today at price reductions over what you will pay six weeks hence. Hundreds are taking advantage of the opportunity to get a dress made to measure. No extra charge.

Lot 1— 95c
Lot 2— $1.45
Lot 3— $1.95
Lot 4— $2.95

Fine Renfrew and Amoskeag Ginghams and Chambrays Only Used.

Children's $1.50 Dresses..... 95c | Children's $2.00 Dresses.... $1.17

25 DOZEN APRONS

A large roomy apron is a house necessity,

39c and 49c

Neat patterns in percale.

Come in today and see the dresses we are making on the premises. It gives you an insight as to why such fine dresses can be sold so cheap.

New York Cloak and Suit Co.

CHERRY & WEBB 12-18 JOHN STREET

Lowell, Tuesday, January 27, 1914

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!

NOW ON SALE ABOUT

300 White Bed Spreads

AT COST AND BELOW COST

Just received from the manufacturer about 300 White Bed Spreads, odd lots of fine satin finish spreads, all firsts, at a big discount from regular price.

25 Fine Satin Finish Spreads, good quality, full size, new design, hemmed, $2.50 value. For this lot only.....$1.85

30 Nice Fine White Satin Finish Spreads, handsome patterns, full size, hemmed, $3.00 value. Special for this lot only $2.15

36 Fine Satin Finish White Spreads, very handsome patterns, embroidered edges and cut corners, $3.50 value. Special for this lot only.....$2.45

40 Full Size Satin Finish White Spreads, very fine quality, in new designs, embroidered edge and cut corners, $4.00 value. Special price for this lot.....$2.75

60 Colored Crochet Spreads, good quality, blue and pink, $1.25 value, at.....85c Each

150 Street Horse Blankets

NOW MARKED DOWN BELOW COST

To close about 150 Heavy Wool Street Blankets, in stripes and checks, large and medium size, $3.00 and $4.00 blankets. All at one price.....$2.50

Come early as this lot will not last long as such a good bargain is seldom offered.

BASEMENT

DOCTOR'S DAUGHTER Stomach-Rite Tablets

For the cure of Indigestion, Gas, Dyspepsia, Intestinal Indigestion, Sourness of Stomach, Torpid Liver, Constipation, Heart-Pressure, Biliousness, Bloating, Vertigo, Headache, Catarrh of Stomach, Drowsiness, Tired Feeling, Nervous Indigestion, Liver Spots and all forms of Stomach and Liver Trouble.

Indigestion and Constipation Go Hand In Hand

WHAT YOUR NEIGHBORS SAY OF STOMACH-RITE

Suffered From Infancy

Dear Doctor's Daughter:

I am writing to say that your Stomach-Rite has been used most successfully in my family. My son was afflicted with gastritis from almost his infancy, so badly that in frequent attacks every muscle of the body would stiffen. Several physicians prescribed for him to no avail, but in the use of Stomach-Rite tablets we believe we have found a complete cure, as he has not had an attack for over four months.

Sincerely,

GEORGE SWEET,
41 Bowdoin st., Boston, Mass.

Stomach and Liver Trouble

Dear Doctor's Daughter:

I have had dyspepsia for several years and suffered terribly, and nothing has done for me what your Stomach-Rite tablets have done. I also had a liver trouble, and cannot say enough in praise for your medicine. Thanking you many times. I am, truly yours.

ALBERT WOOD,
51 Gray st., Boston, Mass.

Cured Him

Dear Doctor's Daughter:

I have suffered for years with a distressing stomach cough. Stomach-Rite tablets have cured me of it, and I can heartily recommend them to any one with a stomach trouble.

Respectfully,

ANTHONY HENNESSEY,
194 Middle st., Lowell, Mass.

Cured of Indigestion and Constipation

Dear Doctor's Daughter:

I must tell you how thankful I am to you for helping me. I had indigestion, accompanied by a sour stomach, headache and constipation. I took only two boxes of your Stomach-Rite tablets and feel that I am entirely cured.

Yours truly,

MRS. A. J. ELLIOTT,
3 Washington st., Hanson, Mass.

BUY A BOX TODAY AND JUST ONE TABLET WILL CONVINCE YOU

FIRST CLASS DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

GEO. H. WOOD'S Annual CLEARANCE SALE

Now is the time to buy a Watch. Don't hesitate. Remember, you can buy a Ladies' Solid Gold Watch as cheap as you can gold filled at this sale, and this is the season of the year that you can spend a dollar and make it purchase as much as two dollars at some other time. We are making a special effort to create a big watch sale, and if low prices and big values will attract attention we ought to be successful.

G. H. WOOD, Central St., Opp. American House

GIRL IS MISSING

State-Wide Search for Eleanor Arlin, Brookline Stenographer

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—The police of Worcester yesterday joined the state-wide search that is being made for Miss Eleanor Arlin, the missing Brookline stenographer. A nervous, distracted young woman, answering closely the description sent broadcast of the Arlin girl, was seen in that city Wednesday by men and women who have since reported their suspicions to the police.

Mrs. Jane Arlin, the girl's mother, returned to her home in Colebrook, N. H., last night, convinced that her daughter is either a suicide or in the hands of white slavers. Neighbors and friends gathered at the Arlin home to hear the latest news of the hunt that has been instituted for the former Colebrook belle.

The only clues since Miss Arlin left her boarding house in Brookline, Jan. 5, were the reports that came from Worcester last night. At least four people have come forward with stories of a woman who acted peculiarly and sought work at various employment agencies.

Fred Souda, manager of a candy store at 121 Main street, said that the strange young woman entered the store Wednesday and again Thursday. Mrs. Mulvey, who conducts an employment agency, describes the same woman and tells how she asked for work as a waitress. The proprietor of a novelty company opposite the candy store tells of several mysterious toll calls which the young woman made.

Uncle Offers Reward

Two uncles of Eleanor Arlin, who live in Colebrook, have offered $100 reward for information leading to her return home. They are Reuben and Henry Gould.

Miss Marion Brown of Newton Center, a chum and the closest friend of the missing stenographer, denied last night that Eleanor was in love with any man. "I would know," she said, "as I was always in her confidence.

"The girl was a complete wreck from sleeplessness, caused by too close application to figures in her work. She was to have gone away for a vacation Jan. 10, and had been given a leave of absence."

According to Miss Arlin's Colebrook relatives, she was 25 years old Saturday. Arrangements had been made for a little celebration in honor of her birthday, in the belief that she would return to her mother's home during her vacation holidays.

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

LETTER BY GEN. U. S. GRANT

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The letter written by General U. S. Grant to his father in which he announced his determination to enlist was sold here yesterday for $910.

INDIGESTION, GAS OR SICK, SOUR STOMACH

Time "Pape's Diapepsin" in Five Minutes All Stomach Misery is Gone.

"Really does" put bad stomachs in order—"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes—that—just that—makes Pape's Diapepsin the largest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food and acid; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment "Pape's Diapepsin" comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy is its harmlessness.

A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin will give you a hundred dollars' worth of satisfaction or your druggist hands you your money back.

It's worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or at night. It's the quickest, surest and most harmless stomach doctor in the world.

25,000 MEN IDLE

Gov. Johnson of California Denounces I. W. W., "and Agitators"

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 27.—"The line must be drawn between the man really wanting work and the few leaders who preach the tenets of the Industrial Workers of the World, who neither wish work for themselves nor desire employment for others, and who preach an anarchistic doctrine at variance with organized government," said Gov. Hiram Johnson yesterday on receiving the report of State Labor Commissioner John McLaughlin on the condition of the unemployed in California and the need of extending state aid.

McLaughlin's report showed that there were 25,000 idle men in San Francisco at the time of his investigation, the first week in January, only 3000 or 4000 of whom were in need of assistance. Thousands were living off their savings of last summer and autumn.

The commissioner contends that California always will be the dumping ground for workmen coming from other states to escape the colder climates. He says that any action by the state to support or maintain those out of work would only increase the problem, for thousands would flock to the state to live in idleness.

After receiving the report, Governor Johnson issued a statement, pledging the aid of the state to alleviate distress, but denouncing "professional agitators."

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

PIPES ARE BANISHED

ONLY CIGARS AND CIGARETS ALLOWED IN THE MOST OF BOSTON'S BEST HOTELS

BOSTON, Jan. 27—Cigars and cigarets are welcome, but the pipe of Sir Walter Raleigh, Sir Walter Scott, Arthur D. Hill, Bismarck and many other famous men is now banned in the most of Boston's best hotels.

Yesterday the cinches were tightened a bit on the anti-pipe regulation in a well known down town hostelry, which accentuates the fact that there are now few really first class hotels in the city where one may smoke the pipe of peace and consolation in the lobby.

Friends of the briar, meerschaum, clay and other varieties of the pipe argue that a sweet pipe is much to be preferred to a poor cigaret or cigar. But the various hotel managers, perhaps with an eye to the greater profit in the sale of cigars and cigarets, say that the pipe must go.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEETING

Held in Tewksbury Church Last Evening Rev. Carl Stackman of Lawrence Was Heard

The regular meeting of the members of the Lowell Christian Endeavor union was held last night at the Tewksbury Congregational church with a large attendance. The affair consisted of a bountiful supper, musical numbers and a business session.

The meeting was presided over by President Walter A. Chase and various reports were read. A fine address on "Christian Endeavor Week, February 1-8" was delivered by Rev. Carl Stackman, of Lawrence, who also officiated at the installation of officers. The roll call showed that 142 members representing 18 societies were present at the meeting. Considerable business was transacted and the meeting adjourned at a seasonable hour.

FOR FROST BITES AND CHAPPED SKIN

For frost bitten ears, fingers and toes; chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold sores, red and rough skins, there is nothing to equal Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Stops the pain at once and heals quickly. In every home there should be a box handy all the time. Best remedy for all skin diseases, itching eczema, tetter, piles, etc. 25c. All druggists or by mail. H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.

CASE OF OFFICER MAHAN

TESTIMONY CLOSED, ARGUMENTS MADE, AND CASE TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT

The hearing of Patrolman Mahan was brought to a close last night at the third session in the special court room at the police building on the complaint charging him with a violation of Rule 19 of the police manual in that he drank intoxicating liquors while on duty, used vile and profane language against one Michael Matowicz, and pushed one Annie Sokolowski so violently that she fell to the floor.

The session held last night was the shortest of the three. The only evidence offered before the special board, comprising Captain Atkinson and Sergeants Duncan and Maguire, was that of Stella Ross, which was taken at the girl's home, 155 Church street, by the stenographer of the police department in the presence of Sergeants Duncan and Maguire.

In substance the statement ran as follows: On the Sunday night in question Officer Mahan came to the house in East Merrimack street, where the trouble occurred, in uniform and went into a side room. He stayed but a few minutes. Later he returned in plain clothes and drank two glasses of beer. She told the patrolman how she was being abused by her father and stepmother and asked to be taken from the house. Officer Mahan started to accompany her from the house when the Sokolowski woman stepped in front of him. He then gave the woman a shove and she fell against a table. At this point in the proceedings Officer Mahoney appeared on the scene and ordered his brother officer to leave the premises.

The girl said that there was no dancing in the house when the officer first arrived and that there was no trouble until he had come. Witness said she knew the officer and had seen him at other Polish festivities. She further stated that she heard him swear at Mrs. Sokolowski and also at Malowicz. She saw no bottles thrown but did see a beer glass or two go flying through the air. The girl drank but two glasses of lager beer.

Directly as the evidence was completed Lawyer William A. Hogan entered into a lengthy plea for the defendant. He went into both sides of the case in detail and touched upon all of the evidence. The attorney endeavored to show contradictions in the testimony of the prosecution's witnesses and asked that the defendant be found not guilty of the charges brought against him.

Superintendent Welsh stated, before he summed up the government's side of the case, that it was not his wish to prosecute Officer Mahan or any other member of the department but as head of the police department it devolved upon him to take charge of the prosecution. The people of Lowell, he said, looked to the police officers as their guardians and as men who can be relied upon to do the proper thing under the most trying circumstances and environments. It was his desire, as well as his duty, said the supt., to see that every patrolman as well as superior officer, lived up to the rules laid down in the police manual. In conclusion he asked the board to consider the evidence placed before them without haste and with due regard to every detail of the testimony, and to render a decision which would help in establishing and maintaining order and discipline in the department.

The board took the case under advisement and will make a report of its finding to Mayor Murphy at an early date.

REV. MR. BISHOP RESIGNS

To Accept a Pastorate in Caribou, Me. His Departure Is Much Regretted by Parishioners

Rev. H. H. Bishop, who for a number of years had served as pastor of the Baptist church in North Tewksbury has accepted the pastorate of the Baptist church in Caribou, Me. and his resignation from the pulpit of the Tewksbury church was accepted Sunday, but with much regret, for the reverend gentleman was held in high esteem and loved by all members of his flock.

3700 CHARITABLE SOCIETIES

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—According to the New York charities directory for 1914 just issued there are 3700 charitable and religious organizations in this city, one-half of them churches.

The oldest organization listed in the book is the society of the New York hospital, founded in 1771.

WANTS OWN STATUE ACCEPTED

WILKESBARRE, Penn., Jan. 27.—John Jay McDevitt, who parted with $2500 in a single day when he played "millionaire for a day," and tried to blaze up old Broadway, has sold the history of his life, and with the $3000 which it has brought him has bought a statue of himself and will hire a special train and leave here Tuesday, Feb. 3, to ask congress to accept the statue and place it in the Capitol at Washington.

FOR CITY SEALERS

The civil service commission announces a competitive examination for the position of assistant sealer of weights and measures in this city, at a salary of $15 per week, which will be held on Feb. 13.

There is one vacancy. From the eligible list established by this examination, names will be certified to fill the position and similar vacancies as they may occur.

The examination will include the following subjects: Arithmetic, letter-writing, handwriting, a sworn statement of training and experience, and knowledge of laws governing inspection of weights and measures.

Only citizens of the United States who have been residents of Massachusetts for the past year, and of Lowell for the six months last past, have a right to apply. Successful applicants will be subjected to a physical examination.

Blank applications may be obtained by applying in person or by mail to the Civil Service commission, State House, Boston, or from James H. Carmichael, civil service representative in Lowell. Applications should be filled out at once.

GREAT GOLFER COMING

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 27.—Ben Sayres, for more than 40 years a prominent figure in British golf, is coming to America in May or June. Sayres, who was instructor to the late King Edward, plans to visit Philadelphia first to see his son. The two will play a few exhibitions and may take a trip through the eastern states.

Red Letter Day

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 28th

10 FREE Stamps

This is the first Red Letter Day in the new year and a splendid opportunity to call at the Premium Parlor, inspect the attractive new stock of Premiums and add 10 S&H Stamps to your collection. Come and bring your friends.

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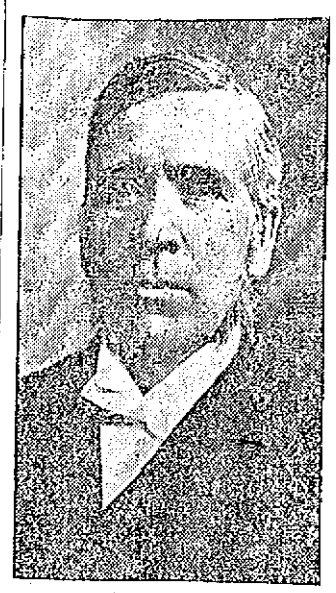

REV. J. M. CRAIG
Who Spoke on the Memory of Burns

ALEXANDER RAY
President Clan Grant

In Celebration of the 155th Anniversary of Robert Burns—Interesting Addresses Delivered

The man who sat down with the sturdy Scotch of Clan Grant 141 O. S. C. who gathered in Grafton hall with their wives, sweethearts, and friends to honor the memory of Robert Burns last evening took a trip to bonnie Scotland in imagination for the songs, speeches, music and even the menu were redolent of "the land of the mountain and the flood." If one doubts the hold that the sweet poet of Ayr has on the Scotch imagination all doubts would be set at rest by the depth of the emotions stirred up in the hearts of those present by every mention of their beloved poet. If the spirit of Burns peeped in from the frosty air without, he realized that he was with his ain folks. All present acted the part described so aptly in the little quotation from Burns on the menu:

"The storm without might roar an rustle
We dinna mind the storm a whustle."

In the early part of the evening the members of Clan Grant and their friends gathered in Merrimack hall up stairs and waited until all were assembled. About 8 p. m. they marched two by two to the banquet hall where the tables were spread invitingly with dishes of Scotch flavor. Tables had been set for about 150, but practically 50 more had come, so that many had to wait until the first diners had completed their three rounds. The formal program did not begin until the tables were cleared, but many were the reminiscences exchanged of early days in the highlands and lowlands, by Loch Lomond and Ben Nevis and the banks an' braes o' bonnie Doon. The delightful Scotch accent was heard on all sides, and the plaids of the officers of Clan Grant gave the unmistakable atmosphere of the land of Burns.

When the diners had taken their drapple o' guid coffee to wash a' doon, Chief Alex Ray extended a hearty welcome and spoke eloquently in praise of Burns as follows:

Invited guests, ladies and gentlemen: I extend to you in behalf of Clan Grant a royal welcome to this the 155th anniversary of Robert Burns. From the snow-blocked passes of Alaska to the sunny strands of India—wherever Scotchmen gather at this time of the year they honor the memory of Robert Burns—not only Scotchmen, but all lovers of humanity.

The world has given us great minds and poets; but not since the days of the lowly born carpenter of Nazareth, when He gave us the message of love on the Mount of Olives, has there been one who struck the heart chords of the people as did Robert Burns. Lover of country, of independence and liberty, lover of all men and womankind, his heart was filled with the love of God and good will to all creation. Lover of nature and all things animate or inanimate. Nothing so lowly but that his love could immortalize. The beasts of the fields, the flowers we trample beneath our feet, even the bruised and broken ones inspired him—even the devil himself touched his heart with pity, and he prayed for his redemption.

Oh wad ye tak a thought o' men
I'm wae to think upon yon den
E'en for your sake!

He did not believe in the survival of the fittest. He believed in trying to raise the weak and the fallen and unfortunate.

"A man's a man for a' that."

Humanity the world over walks more erect for what Robert Burns sang and said.

Following the address of Mr. Ray, Mr. Warren T. Reid sang "There Was a Lad," in splendid style. He was roundly applauded and as an encore sang a Jacobite ballad of Prince Charlie.

Rev. N. W. Matthews

Rev. N. W. Matthews responded to the toast: "The Land We Left." His fine address was, in part as follows: I wish to express my appreciation of the invitation to be here to celebrate with you the birthday anniversary of Scotland's immortal bard—Robbie Burns. He belongs indeed to Scotland, but his sway is far broader; he belongs to the world, which has placed him in her gallery of sweetest singers. When we open his magic page and see the strength, pathos and sweetness of his interpretation of human life, when we feel the thrills induced by his genius, we are better men and women.

To ask a man to speak about Scotland in five, ten or twenty minutes is like asking him to put four quarts of water into a pint measure. There is far too much in that little territory for any man to sum up briefly. So rich is it in beauty, so replete with historic lore, so notable in achievement that no Scotchman living need feel ashamed to say that he was born in Scotland. I say this considering its history from the beginning and basing it on what I have read and what I know of the Scotch people. The people of Scotland love their land and it is well for love of country is deep in us, as we come from the hands of the Creator; it is a principle that we can never eradicate. We may swear allegiance to other countries and other flags, but memory will be back to our native land, and our love for it can never be crowded out. In this great republic under the western sky with its manifold beauties, resources and opportunities, all peoples will sing the ballads of the old land and singing them will feel greater love for the land of their adoption.

Rev. Mr. Matthews then dwelt on many episodes of Scotch history from the earliest times to the present. He also said that he considers the sturdy, rugged character of its people due in great measure to the nature of its scenery. He spoke of the early tribulations of the Scotch people, of their political history, of their struggles for liberty, and he said that they have given to the world unsurpassed heroes in all that concerned liberty and the redemption of the world.

Miss Bessie Watters touched all hearts by her sympathetic singing of "The Star o' Robbie Burns."

Mayor Murphy

Mayor Dennis J. Murphy responded to the toast, "The City of Lowell." He said that among those present were many whom he had met on the steamers in Boston when in the capacity of guide for his father, he used to go to meet the incoming immigrants. "I am delighted," he said, "to be here to help you celebrate this great occasion. It is needless for me to tell you of the great qualities of the poet. I am glad to do him honor. It is well for all peoples in this country to get together occasionally to celebrate their heroes whether in literature or patriotism or the arts. It is the proud privilege of all to love their fatherland. We need men such as you in the community and in every community—men of thrift, decency, law and order.

Mayor Murphy asked those present to support the government and he assured them that he is not the mayor of any section or of any people but of all the people. He wound up by quoting the tribute written for this anniversary of Burns by Robert Bridges the English poet laureate.

Mr. Warren T. Reid and Miss Bessie Watters were heard in the delightful duet "Crookit Bawbee," and Mr. Reid sang "The Lea Rig" with the same good taste displayed in his other selections.

Rev. Mr. Craig

Rev. J. M. Craig spoke on the toast: "Immortal memory of Robert Burns." Owing to the lateness of the hour, he spoke more briefly than he had intended but his speech made up in earnestness and eloquence what it lacked in length. "I have been exceedingly interested," he said, "in the things that have been said and the songs that have been sung about Scotland, because I was born there. What is the secret of Scotch achievement in literature, the arts, logic, philosophy, history, poetry? Their educational system, which blends cultivation of character with cultivation of mind. There was a time when the Scotch were low like all nations of Europe. All at once schools were established, and without much change they stand today as a model. The character of the people was moulded by the schools of Scotland and their devoted teachers, old shepherds, rough in garments and rude in expression but with disciplined hearts and well stored minds. Grounded in the principles of education and righteousness by men such as this the people of the little country in the north of Great Britain have gone forth throughout the world and taken their place as leaders.

Back of Burns with his power to touch and stir human nature were generations of sturdy men. I know the criticisms of him, but I judge him by his time, his environment, his struggles, his poetry. The man who ploughed up a little daisy on the uplands and wrote so beautifully on it could not have been bad. The tenderness and sweetness of his lines to a field mouse and the other beautiful poems speak of a heart that loved God and goodness. Could a man have written "the Cotter's Saturday Night" and be an atheist? Can a door be open and shut at the same time? We have not yet measured Burns because our measures are too small, but we may well say: "His memory is immortal."

After Miss Bessie Watters had sung "My Ain Folks" the entire company rose and with joined hands sang that song of Scotland and the world: "Auld Lang Syne." The party then adjourned to the upper hall where dancing was enjoyed until 1 a. m. It was a truly Scotch evening worthy of the kindly people who enjoyed it and of their great poet Robert Burns.

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For the Maintenance of the Chicago Public Schools for 1914

CHICAGO, Jan. 27.—The cost of maintaining Chicago's public schools for 1914 is placed at $16,700,000, according to the budget issued today.

CHINESE PAINTINGS

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—A collection of Chinese paintings which, according to Dr. John C. Ferguson includes more important examples of Chinese paintings than have ever before been brought together were put on view today in the Metropolitan Museum of Art. The pictures were acquired by the museum through Dr. Ferguson, who spent 27 years in China.

MATRIMONIAL

The marriage of Mr. Walter F. McGrath and Miss Sarah Kelcher was performed at St. Michael's rectory yesterday by Rev. Francis Mullin. The couple were attended by Miss Agnes M. Finn and Mr. Leo J. Rollins, who acted as bridesmaid and best man. After Feb. 1 the happy couple will be at home to their friends at 21 Coburn street.

MacKENZIE—WHITE

Mr. Harlan Roderick MacKenzie of Fitchburg and Miss Gladys Elizabeth White of Leominster were married yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Washburn in Pine street. The bride was attended by Miss Lucille Washburn of this city as maid of honor, and by Miss Ruth Munroe of Leominster as bridesmaid, while the best man was Mr. Frank Drummond of Fitchburg. The officiating clergyman was Rev. J. B. Kettle of Leominster. Mr. and Mrs. MacKenzie after a brief honeymoon trip will make their home at Fitchburg, where the bridegroom is secretary of the boys' work at the Y. M. C. A.

The public service commission of Boston, yesterday, notified Senator Edward Fisher, president of the board of trade of Westford, that there would not be any discontinuance of B. & M. trains on the Stony Brook branch between Ayer and Lowell, and Lowell and Salem. This statement was given to the public service commission by the railroad officials. When it became known that the railroad was planning to discontinue the early morning and noon trains a great big howl went up from this city as well as from Westford and other places. The matter was reported to the public service commission and a hearing was scheduled for Wednesday of this week, but was called off when it became known that the railroad had reconsidered the matter had decided to allow the schedule to remain unchanged.

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GREAT LIBERATOR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The United States of Colombia will do great honor to the memory of Alexander MacAuley next Saturday, the 100th anniversary of his death at the town of Popayan at the hands of the Spaniards. MacAuley had cast his lot with the native Colombians who were then in revolt against the parent state. His memory is cherished as a great liberator.

The Middlesex street and Fletcher street grade crossing problem was discussed at a meeting of the executive committee of the Lowell board of trade yesterday. The matter is to be given a hearing by the special commission on Feb. 14. The highway, transportation and municipal affairs committee of the board of trade will be asked to take up the matter sitting as a joint committee with the executive committee.

FOR BED SORES

Mrs. Geo. Fields, a trained nurse of Canton, N. Y., says: "I use Comfort Powder for bed sores with great success. It is a 'skin healing wonder.' The genuine bears the signature of E. S. Sykes on the box.

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10 Stamps with 1 Bag Rice 10c
10 Stamps with package Lump Starch 10c
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10 Stamps with Spices 10c
10 Stamps with Extracts 10c
10 Stamps with can Cleanser 10c
10 Stamps with Bottle Bluing 10c
10 Stamps with Macaroni 10c
5 Stamps with package Matches 10c
5 Stamps with 2 packages Saleratus 10c
5 Stamps with can Cocoa 10c
5 Stamps with package Tapioca 10c
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THE GOOD PEOPLE OF LOWELL wanted to buy 11th Hour Asbestos Stove Lining, 15 and 25 cent boxes, at all stove dealers.

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WILL THE PERSON WHO WAS seen picking up a child's red bag at Keith's theatre, Sat. afternoon, please return it with contents to Keith's office and save further trouble?

BLACK POCKETBOOK LOST SATurday morning, containing sum of money and other articles, between Church st. and Merrimack st. Reward for return to Sun Office or notify O 66, Sun Office.

SMALL BLACK HANDBAG, CONtaining pocketbook with sum of money, partly used B. & M. mileage book, and some trinkets, lost on Haverhill car, or street between car and curb. Finder return to 158 Branch st., in the rear. Reward.

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen McAneny, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Mary A. Pendergast, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1914, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COL. GOETHALS

Canal Builder Who May Head the New York Police Department

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Mayor Mitchel has made public a letter from Colonel George W. Goethals indicating that the Panama canal builder would accept the police commissionership of

New York city on two conditions—that he be retired from the army, in which he has served nearly thirty-four years, and that a law be passed depriving the courts of the power to review the dismissal by the commissioner of police officials. The mayor will seek to have the New York city charter amended to give the commissioner the power Colonel Goethals asks.

EDUCATION OF IMMIGRANTS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—The United States can neglect the education of immigrant population only at its own peril, in the opinion of Dr. P. H. Claxton, federal commissioner of education. In an official statement issued today he reviews the whole problem of education for immigrants and says that the least illiterate of the nation's population are the native-born children of foreign parents. The illiteracy among the children of native born parents, he declares is three times as great as that among native born children of foreign parents.

Attention is directed by the commission to the fact that immigrants are keenly interested in schooling for their children, or at least conspicuously obedient to school attendance laws.

HOLDERS OF B. & M. NOTES

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Holders of $8,000,000 of the $10,000,000 of notes of the Boston & Maine railroad which are payable Feb. 3, have agreed to an extension of time until June 2, it became known last night. In consideration of the extension the company announces it will pay an additional three-fourths of one per cent, making 6¾ per cent. for the notes.

The extension, it is announced, is primarily to allow Samuel Carr, recently elected a director of the road, time to prepare a comprehensive financial system for the company.

RADIUM PLANT

Man Who Extracted First Radium in This Country Writes Mr. Lane

BUFFALO, Jan. 27.—Stephen Lockwood, who ten years ago in an experimental plant in this city extracted the first radium in this country, today telegraphed to Franklin D. Lane, an offer of a well equipped plant for the public reduction of radium bearing ores.

Mr. Lockwood in his telegram to Mr. Lane said:

"To aid the government in preventing the monopoly in radium I offer you the use of the reduction plant here free of charge for any reasonable time. The plant is fully equipped for the reduction of thirty tons of carnotite ores a month. Dr. Holmes, chief of the bureau of mines, has made a personal examination of it. It was shut down in 1910 because we could not at that time secure ores in sufficient quantity to keep it in continuous and profitable operation.

"We have also a large quantity of radium-containing residues which contain three to four milligrams of radium to every one hundred pounds, which are free to any one who will bear the expense of refining and will devote the resultant radium to science."

Mr. Lockwood in conclusion expresses the belief that Sec. Lane's plan for the withdrawal of radium bearing will have an opposite effect from the purpose sought.

LABOR MAN GUILTY

ORGANIZER LUTHRINGER FINED $10 AT CLAREMONT, NEW HAMPSHIRE

CLAREMONT, N. H., Jan. 27.—John Luthringer, the labor organizer arrested last Saturday charged with speaking on the street illegally, appeared yesterday before F. W. Johnson, who found him guilty. He was fined $10 and costs of $4.62.

He was formally charged with illegally speaking on the street and with illegally assembling a crowd. Attorney Upton, who defended Luthringer, argued that the recent ordinance, which Luthringer was charged with violating, was not legally enacted and that it was unconstitutional because it gave the town officials opportunity for discrimination and arbitrary powers.

The prosecution simply offered evidence of the enactment of the ordinance and the breach by Luthringer.

Judge Johnston ruled that the ordinance was properly published, that it was duly enacted and that Luthringer was guilty.

Attorney Upton and H. W. Parker had a controversy as to the defendants being placed under sureties to keep the peace. Judge Johnston ruled that it was proper and when the case was appealed he accepted John Dawson and G. F. Jerald as sureties. He informed the large crowd present that any demonstration would be considered contempt of court, so everything was quiet.

Luthringer spoke and started in on his rights of free speech and the judge cautioned him that he could not discuss the rulings of the court.

Attorney Upton, Organizers Luthringer, Ago and Coyne visited the board of selectmen later to hire the town hall. Coyne asked Lewis Colby for the rental, but the latter said he wanted the full board to act; and since Mr. Hawkes was ill, the organizers could come around about next Saturday for a reply.

Sympathizers have offered house lots to the organizers to hold their meetings.

BABY MAY DIE

Fatally Injured When Father With Child in Arms Jumped

CHELSEA, Jan. 27.—Nicholas Kissel's baby girl received probably fatal injuries when the man jumped with the child in his arms from the roof of his burning house early today. Kissel and his sisters-in-law, Miss Mary Kudry and Miss Katherine Kudry, who also jumped, were badly hurt. Mrs. Kissel was partly overcome by smoke in escaping by a stairway.

HIGHER SCHOLARSHIP

NEW HAVEN, Jan. 27.—A strong plea for higher scholarship requirements is made and drastic action in the case of the man who fails to maintain a passing mark in his studies as urged by the Yale News today.

BIG COAL STRIKE

Speedy Settlement of Trouble Affecting 10,000 Expected

LONDON, Jan. 27.—A speedy termination of the coal strike which has affected London since Jan. 21 when 10,000 coal carriers quit work, was foreshadowed in a resolution adopted by the men at a meeting today when they decided to resume work in the coal yards where the employers had consented to grant the increase of two cents a ton for loading coal demanded by the men, bringing their wages up to 20 cents a ton. As several of the largest London firms have agreed to this it is generally thought the others will be unable long to resist.

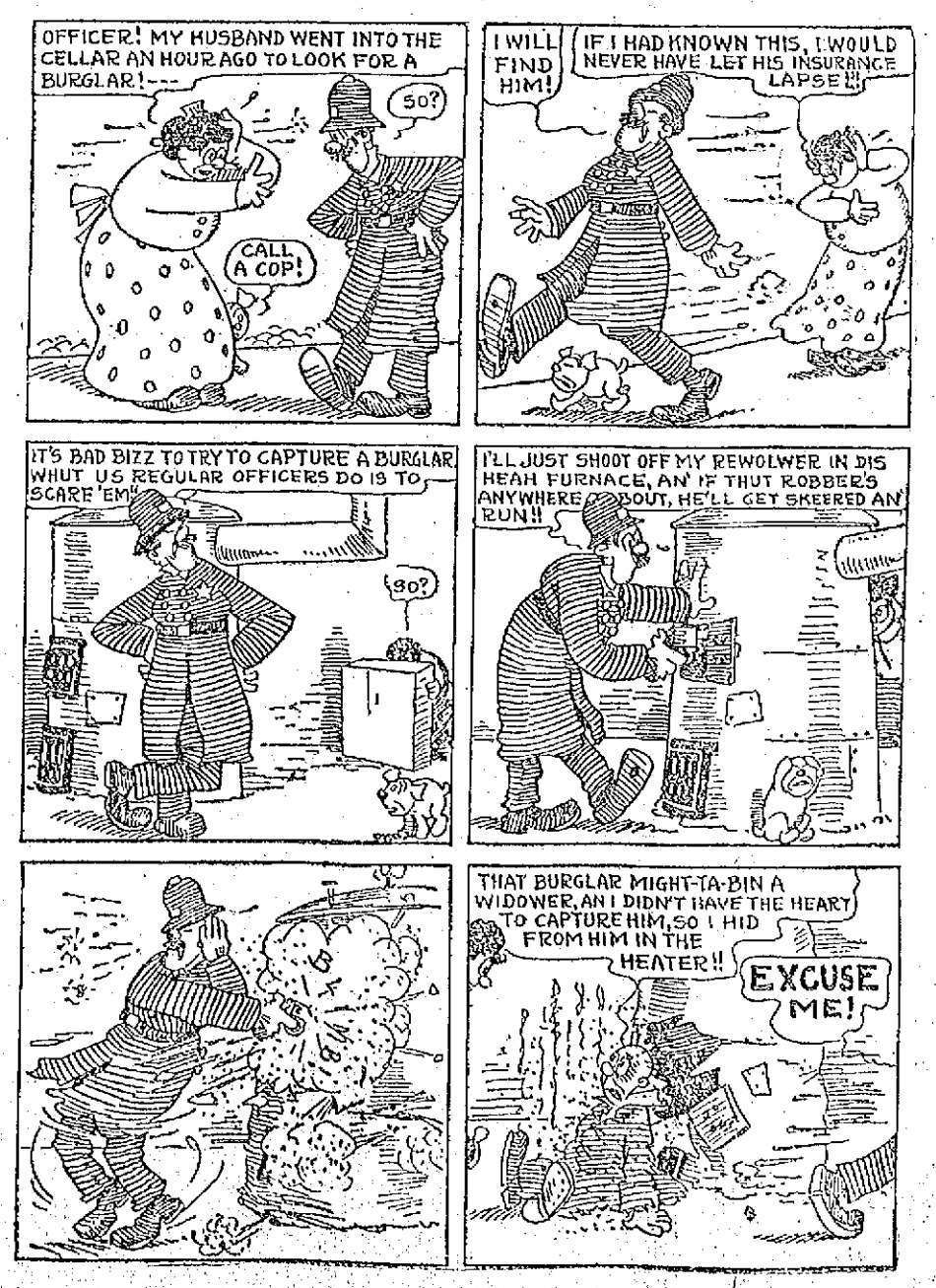
GOMPERS IS 64

The A. F. of L. President Congratulated by His Friends Today

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Friends of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, were offering their congratulations to him today on his 64th birthday. Organized labor here planned to give the labor chief an elaborate supper tonight in celebration of the event.

A feature of the day's celebration will be the arrival here today of Toney Costello of Galveston, Texas, who has walked from that city with greetings for Mr. Gompers.

EXCUSE ME



55TH BIRTHDAY

Emperor William Celebrated His Anniversary at Berlin Today

BERLIN, Jan. 27.—Emperor William celebrated his 55th birthday today, hale and vigorous in body and mind and able still, as shown by his recent woodchopping exploits, to undertake the physical work of a man in the prime of life. All classes of his subjects joined in observing the day, celebrations being held by the university and technical schools students, by the academies of arts and sciences, by army and navy officers, by civic organizations and by municipalities and veteran associations throughout the empire.

There was a long list of birthday honors and decorations, promotions being awarded lavishly throughout the army and navy services, but the lion's share of the distinctions was conferred on men belonging to the business and artistic worlds. The highest distinction of all was given to Prince Guido Henckel Von Bonnersmarck, who received the Black Eagle. He is a member of the "Princes Trust" which possesses enormous interests in real estate, mining and shipping concerns.

August Scherl, proprietor of the Lokal Anzeiger and numerous other publications, was honored with the second class of the Red Eagle with the star. The same decoration without the star was conferred on Professor Paul Ehrlich, the eminent physician.

Dr. Wilhelm Bode, the director of the Royal museum, was raised to the hereditary nobility.

15 YEARS FOR SLAYER

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Domenico D'Alessandro of 456 Hanover street, who has been on trial for murder in the first degree in the Suffolk superior court, was allowed to plead guilty to manslaughter yesterday, and Chief Justice Aiken sentenced him to serve 15 to 17 years in state prison.

D'Alessandro has been on trial for murdering his brother-in-law, Antonio Borgio, also of the North End, by shooting him last June in front of a saloon on Hanover street.

The trial was begun last Wednesday and the government's case was finished yesterday when Attorney Grady, representing the prisoner, told Assistant District Attorney McInnes that he would be willing to plead to the manslaughter charge. This was agreed to by the government in view of certain testimony offered by the state witnesses. D'Alessandro was then sentenced.

TWO NEW STEEL BARGES

BOSTON, Jan. 27.—Construction of two steel barges, to cost $25,000 each at the Charlestown navy yard was ordered yesterday from Washington. The order will result in bringing back to work 100 men who had been laid off.

WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH

HAVERHILL, Jan. 27—Miss Etta Harrington fell down stairs with a lighted lamp in her hand last night and was burned to death. Perley Shute, for whom she acted as housekeeper, had just left the house when he heard a noise. He was unable to open the door when he tried to investigate, and it was found later that Miss Harrington, who weighed 200 pounds, had become so wedged between the door and the lower step that she could not move. Firemen were forced to break in the door over her body to get at the flames.

KILLED BY LION

NAIROBI, British East Africa, Jan. 27—Mauling by a lion caused the death here this afternoon of Fritz Schindler, a member of an American moving picture expedition, engaged in taking pictures of wild animals in their native surroundings in Africa. Schindler, with others belonging to the expedition, was attempting to photograph a lion in the jungle on Saturday when the animal sprang on him and lacerated him so badly that he never rallied.

WASTE OF $1,000,000

UNEARTHED BY GOVERNOR GLYNN OF NEW YORK—WANTS TO KNOW WHO GOT THE MONEY

ALBANY, Jan. 27.—When Commissioner James W. Osborne resumes his state graft inquiry he will have in hand evidence of about $1,000,000 waste in the purchase of road machinery in the last five years, which Gov. Glynn himself has unearthed.

In some cases prices on two road machines of the same kind, on which the transportation charges had been practically the same, would vary from $100 to $500 in different sections of the state, it is declared.

"I want to know who got the difference in cost," the governor said last night. "I am going to ask Mr. Osborne to determine that as quickly as possible."

To aid Mr. Osborne, every county superintendent of highways and each of the 900 township clerks have been directed to furnish a complete record of all the purchases of road machinery in the last five years.

The governor also intends to have Mr. Osborne call for the books of all the road machinery manufacturers doing business in the state.

THE SOD FOUNTAIN

INVENTED BY G. D. DOWS WHOSE WIDOW WAS BURIED IN BILLERICA TODAY

Mrs. G. D. Dows, who died in New York, Saturday, Jan. 24th, and was buried in Billerica today, was the wife of the inventor of the soda fountain, Gustavus D. Dows, formerly of Billerica, uncle of Azro M. Dows, the well known druggist of this city. With the universal adoption of the soda fountain at present, it is difficult to realize that its invention has been thus linked to our own time by the wife of the great inventor, but such is the case. The first marble soda fountain was invented by Gustavus D. Dows in 1858. In memory of him a beautiful soda shop has been opened in 3 Park place, New York, directly across from the Woolworth building, known as the "Dows' Soda Shop." Mr. Azro M. Dows of this city was there to help in arranging business matters connected with it when the widow of his distinguished uncle died, and he was present when she passed away.

INDUSTRIAL TEACHERS

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION WILL PROVIDE SPECIAL COURSES FOR THEM

If the plan of the state board of education is carried out there will be established in the Lowell Normal and all other Normal schools in the state classes for the purpose of training industrial teachers. It is believed that this is made necessary by the opening of training and industrial schools in cities through the state. The board finds that the number of teachers qualified for these positions is not nearly as large as the demand for them.

The establishment of a separate normal school for men is advocated by the board and the city of Worcester is recommended for a location

STEAMSHIP LINES CUT RATES

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 27.—The American, Cunard and White Star line yesterday announced a reduction of 20 shillings for westbound passengers. The reductions for the present will apply only to continental traffic. No reduction has been announced by the Allen line or the Canadian Pacific railway.

FALLNG HAIR AND ITCHING SCALP

Entirely Needless—Use Parisian Sage. It Quickly Removes Dandruff—Your Head Feels Fine

Now that Parisian Sage can be had at any drug or toilet counter, it is certainly needless to have thin, brittle, matted, stringy or faded hair. No matter how unsightly the hair, how badly it is falling, or how much dandruff, use Parisian Sage—it is all that is needed. One application removes dandruff, the hair roots are nourished and stimulated to grow new hair, itching scalp and falling hair cease,—your head feels fine. Best of all, the hair becomes soft, fluffy, abundant and radiant with life and beauty.

You will be surprised and delighted with Parisian Sage. Try at least one fifty cent bottle. The purchase price will be refunded if you are not satisfied.

Look for the trade-mark—"The Girl with the Auburn Hair"—accept no other.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
5.45	6.35	5.50	6.45
6.25	7.05	6.00	6.58
6.47	7.33	7.14	8.21
[illegible]	7.55	7.30	8.55
6.57	8.55	b8.21	9.25
7.21	8.05	9.00	9.59
7.55	8.37	9.30	10.06
a7.56	8.42	11.05	11.45
8.05	8.37	12.30	1.00
b8.13	10.24	1.00	1.59
9.45	10.30	2.00	3.00
10.00	11.10	3.00	3.39
10.24	11.40	b3.44	4.09
11.33	12.15	4.00	4.58
12.15	1.05	a4.16	5.08
1.45	2.25	5.00	5.55
2.55	3.33	b5.21	6.28
3.59	4.40	5.37	6.38
4.20	5.24	b5.51	7.10
5.27	6.29	6.14	7.23
b6.12	7.17	8.00	8.58
6.22	7.35	8.30	9.08
7.41	8.35	10.50	11.33
9.35	10.40	11.40	12.56

Portland Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.45	7.28	a6.40	8.05
8.06	9.07	9.14	10.29
8.55	10.51	10.50	11.51
10.35	12.07	11.30	12.55
12.09	1.38	2.14	3.20
a1.37	2.59	3.30	4.40
3.40	4.49	5.14	6.11
6.15	6.28	6.03	7.05
7.35	8.37	7.00	8.13
9.53	11.18	9.59	11.09

Sunday Trains

Portland Division

8.50	9.25	8.00	9.18
12.10	1.16	12.09	1.06
3.05	4.06	3.30	4.45
5.45	7.00	5.30	6.35
8.55	10.04	8.45	9.44

Sunday Trains

Southern Division

6.47	7.35	8.45	9.47
7.31	8.06	9.30	10.05
8.55	9.24	11.05	11.45
8.45	9.45	1.00	1.52
9.56	9.55	5.30	6.24
10.20	11.17	6.00	6.55
2.42	3.25	6.30	9.08
6.12	6.05	9.20	10.25
6.49	7.30	10.14	10.55
7.41	8.25	10.39	11.35
8.05	11.40		

References:

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c Via Wilmington Junction

n will not run on Holidays.

LOCAL NEWS

Best printing; Tobin's, Asso. bldg.

Dr. Constantineau, 253 Central st. Best dental work in city.

Interest begins Saturday, Feb. 7, at the Central Savings bank.

If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 465 Merrimack street.

J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

The piano tuners of Massachusetts held their first annual meeting in Boston at the Hotel Lenox last night and the attendance numbered over 100. An appetizing supper was discussed and at the close of the repast speeches were in order, the speaker of the evening being Owen A. Gilday of this city, who delivered a brilliant address on "What the Piano Tuner Means to the Piano."

Before a large attendance of members the recently elected officers of Pilgrim Encampment, No. 4, I. O. O. F., were installed last evening by District Deputy Grand Patriarch Charles T. Schueler, and the following suite, all of Lawrence: Deputy Grand High Priest Alvah Locke, Deputy Grand Senior Warden George H. Hingham, Deputy Grand Recording Scribe John M. Shearer, Deputy Grand Financial Scribe John Wilton, Deputy Grand Treasurer George W. Thayer, Deputy Grand Sentinel Frank B. Kilborn, Deputy Grand Junior Warden George S. Wadsworth. The ceremonies were quite impressive, the Lawrence men being thoroughly trained in the ritualistic work.

Louis McCarty of Boston addressed the Men's club of the First Universalist church at the club's headquarters in the Harrington building last night. Mr. McCarty talked on Mexico and told a very interesting story of that country. The program for the evening included several selections by the club orchestra, which was heard for the first time since its recent organization, under the leadership for Eugene Dunbar. At the business meeting, following the entertainment, plans were discussed for the concert, Feb. 10, at which the Webster quartet, the Sixth Regiment band will be heard.

SPECIAL TODAY

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Fresh Lamb Stew, regular 10c ....5c—Lb.

Full Head Rice, regular 10c ....6c Lb.

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RECEIVED BRIBE

Charge Against Joseph Cassidy on Trial in New York Today

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—Joseph Cassidy, one time democratic leader of Queens county, was called for trial today charged with having received a bribe paid by Henry Willet, Jr., for nomination to the supreme court. Willet, convicted last week of having given the bribe, is now in jail waiting sentence. Lewis T. Walter, Jr., charged with being the go-between in the transaction, will be tried with Cassidy unless either of the two men demands separate trials.

The bribe, it is alleged, was paid prior to the election of 1911. A Brooklyn newspaper published the charges and Willet was defeated.

Stomach Troubles Due to Acidity

So Says Eminent Specialist

So-called stomach troubles, such as indigestion, wind, stomach-ache and inability to retain food, are in probably nine cases out of ten simply evidence that fermentation is taking place in the food contents of the stomach, causing the formation of gas and acids. Wind distends the stomach, and causes that full, oppressive feeling sometimes known as heartburn, while the acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach. The trouble lies entirely in the fermenting food. Such fermentation is unnatural, and acid formation is not only unnatural, but may involve most serious consequences if not corrected. To stop or prevent fermentation of the food contents of the stomach and to neutralize the acid, and render it bland and harmless, a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia, probably the best and most effective corrector of acid stomach known, should be taken in a quarter of a glass of hot or cold water immediately after eating, or whenever wind or acidity is felt. This stops the fermentation, and neutralizes the acidity in a few moments. Fermentation, wind an dacidity are dangerous and unnecessary. Stop or prevent them by the use of a proper antacid, such as bisurated magnesia, which can be obtained from any druggist and thus enable the stomach to do its work properly without being hindered by poisonous gas and dangerous acids.—M. F. P.

EMPEROR WILLIAM'S BIRTHDAY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Official society of Washington will attend a reception to be given at the Germany embassy here tonight by Ambassador Count Von Bernstorff in honor of the 55th anniversary of the birth of Emperor William.

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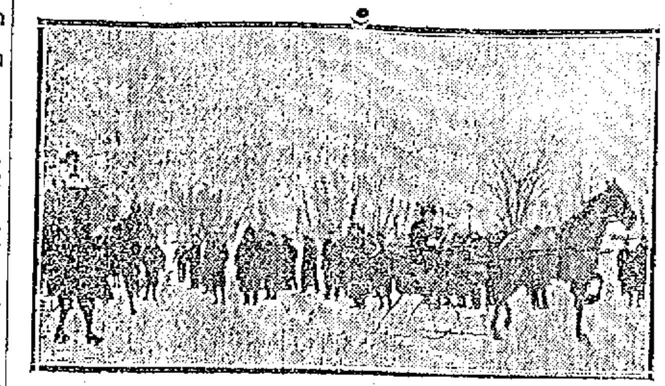

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GEORGE PARKER'S "FRED S." Winner of Third Race.

"Fred S" Wins Hotly Contested Race—Lowell Horses May Race at Dover, N. H.

The horse races on the Merrimack river yesterday afternoon developed some very spirited and very interesting contests. The weather was a little bit off color but that didn't signify where horsemen's enthusiasm was running high. There was a good crowd present to witness the races and while the steppers were not caught with the watch it was generally conceded that some unusually fast spurts were shown. The races were under the direction of the Lowell Driving club. Arnold J. Ryan and Charles Barney were the judges and Richard Murphy acted as starter.

Three races were held, the most interesting contest being between M. F. Senecal's "Counter Beater," and Kemp and Gendron's "John W." The race went to "Counter Beater."

All eyes were turned on Dick Murphy's promising two-year-old, "Baden, Jr." He is some colt and if the opinion of men who know the game amounts to anything, Dick has the makings of a great racer. A special race between the colt and Frank Dimodana's "Cock Robin" went to the colt in two straight heats.

There was a corking good race in which three good ones, "Fred S." "Cracker Boy" and "Cabel" participated. "Cabel" is the property of Dr. Lewis of Nashua, "Cracker Boy" puts up at Frank Orcutt's stable, and "Fred S." looks to George Parker for bed and board. Five heats were necessary to determine the winner and the race went to Fred S. Summary of races:

FIRST RACE

Baden, owned by Richard Murphy 1 1
Cock Robin, owned by F. Dimodana 2 2

SECOND RACE

Counter Beater, owned by M. F. Senecal 1 2 1
John W., owned by Kemp and Gendron 2 1 2

THIRD RACE

Fred S., owned by George Parker 2 2 1 1 1
Cracker Boy, owned by F. Orcutt 1 1 2 2 2
Cabel, owned by Dr. Lewis of Nashua 3 3 3 3 3

If the weather holds good there will be another meet on the river Saturday afternoon for which an attractive program will be prepared.

May Cross the Line

The Lowell Driving club received an invitation, yesterday, from the Granite State Driving club to attend and participate in a series of races to be held at Dover, Feb. 3. The Dover club agrees to pay all transportation expenses, which means expenses for both owners and their steeds. Without a doubt, the Lowell club will accept the invitation, and a representative list of entries will go forward at an early time.

DANCING PARTY

A select dancing party in aid of St. Columba's parish reunion, will be held at the Pawtucket boat house, tomorrow evening. The affair is in charge of Mrs. Martin H. Reidy, with Mr. Joseph P. Quinn as floor director.

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

POLITICAL GRAFT

Special Grand Jury Investigation Was Resumed Today

NEW YORK, Jan. 27.—The special grand jury investigating alleged political graft resumed its hearings today. James C. Shaw, said to have been a go-between in money transactions, was the principal witness called.

With the aid of other witnesses, District Attorney Charles S. Whitman it was said, hoped to refresh Shaw's memory on various points, among others the name of the man to whom he acknowledged giving a package containing $41,250 in bills.

The movement in Albany to give Mr. Whitman state-wide power to hunt for grafters is interesting Mr. Whitman. The first steps to that end were taken in the assembly last night when a resolution was introduced that Mr. Whitman or one of his assistants be made counsel to any committee appointed by the assembly to investigate the highway department of the state. In that case Mr. Whitman will acquire powers equal to those of a special deputy attorney-general and will be as thoroughly equipped to indict and prosecute grafting officials all over the state as former Governor Hughes was in the insurance investigation.

Manhattans, Associate hall, Fri. eve.

SCHOOL DESTROYED

One of the Largest and Best Equipped Schools in New Haven Burned This Morning

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 27—Strong school, one of the largest and best equipped of the city's grammar schools was burned early this morning. A part of the building was used for a branch of the public library.

MOTHER! IS CHILD'S STOMACH SOUR, SICK?

If Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative," and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeits sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

Window Glass

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FREIGHT RATES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Specific objections of ice dealers to the granting of a general five per cent. freight rate advance to the railroads in eastern classification territory were laid before the interstate commerce committee today when shippers' hearings on the application of the transportation companies were resumed.

JURISDICTION OVER DIVORCES

BANGOR, Me., Jan. 27.—The courts of this state have jurisdiction in divorce proceedings when the libellant has resided within the state in good faith for one year prior to the commencement of the proceedings and the marital domicile need not be in Maine, according to a rescript given today by Associate Justice Warren C. Philbrook of the supreme court.

The decision was in the case of Jas. W. H. Walker of Brownfield, formerly of Washington, D. C., which went to the law term on the question of jurisdiction raised by the libellee who claimed that unless the cause of divorce occurred while the marital domicile was in Maine the court has no jurisdiction.

COMMON SENSE ABOUT COLDS

It Is Easier to Prevent a Cold Than to Cure It

NO. 4

Probably nine out of every ten colds could be prevented by a little care and forethought.

There is really no occasion for anybody to suffer from what we call "a cold"—

Plenty of fresh air and enough exercise to keep the blood in free circulation and the cold germs would never have a chance to gain a foothold in the system.

But most of us do not get enough of either fresh air or exercise.

We live and work in poorly ventilated, over-heated houses and offices.

We dress too warmly.

We lose the power of resistance—and the invading army of microbes find us an easy mark.

The first unusual exposure to colds and dampness starts the shivers.

We begin to sneeze and cough.

These are the warning symptoms.

It is too late to prevent the cold—

But we can prevent its serious effects—

What we need is plenty of fresh air and a gentle tonic to promote healthy circulation of the blood—and a laxative to carry off the germs after the fresh air and the pure blood have killed them.

The tonic and laxative you will find most marvelously combined in Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine Tablets.

Your druggist will tell you that this old remedy is standard.

It has been on the market for 15 years and is sold everywhere.

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And to cure la grippe in three days—

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